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ALLIED ARMIES HARRY GERMANS ALL ALONG LINE

Sudden Smashes Gain Ground For French and British

FRENCH DISPLAY DASH

Poilus Advance Line Over Two Mile Front West of Kemmel in Northern Lys Salient

U. S. "ACE" LUFBERY IS DEAD

Italian Theatre Active—New German Army Under Von Bielow Reaches Line At Arras

The allied armies are not permitting the Germans to "get set" for a serious blow at the western front. Here and there along the line there have been sudden blows at the German positions and in all of them ground was captured by the Allies.

The French have done most of this work. On the front east and northeast of Locre on the northern side of the Lys salient in northern France and just to the west of Kemmel where some of the most intensive fighting has been going on the French have advanced their line over a two-mile front. Far to the south near Rheims the French have advanced into the enemy positions as far as the third line of trenches.

The Australians on the front before Amiens have been active and have improved their positions.

Heavy artillery firing is reported from several points along the front, it being especially severe near Hangard and south of the Avre near Amiens. The Germans also report heavy cannonading in the region of Kemmel.

Americans in Fierce Air Battles.

The American sectors have been the scenes of fierce aerial battles. The Americans suffered a severe loss when Raoul Lufbery of Wallingford, Conn., one of their most famous air fighters, went to his death in a thrilling encounter above the city of Toul. The Germans have lost several machines, one of which is believed to be the one that accounted for Lufbery.

In the Italian theatre of the war the fighting in the mountains east of the Brenta river continues. Reports tell of struggles on the slopes of the mountains.

The French troops in Macedonia have taken the offensive near Lake Ochrida and have advanced to a depth of more than 12 miles at some points. The object of this operation appears to be the straightening of an awkward salient in the line.

The unrest which has been reported from time to time from Austria, in spite of the efforts of the censor, has again boiled up in Prague, where crowds of Czechs and Slavs have cheered for President Wilson and Premiers Clemenceau and Lloyd George.

Gen. Von Bielow at Arras.

A new German army, led by General von Bielow, is reported to have been definitely located in front of Arras. This army is said to be made up of units which were not thrown into the great battles on the Somme and along the Lys, and it is believed that it has been brought up to the Arras front to lead the coming attack on the Allied positions on that front. The German reserves are undergoing intensive training far behind the actual fighting front and are expected to reach the front in time for the next smash at the Allies. It is pointed out that the German attack on March 21 was timed so that the Germans were able to take advantage of the bright moonlight for several nights. The moon is now just past the phase which signalled the advance on St. Quentin and Cambrai, and the long expected attack may be launched at any time.

German submarines are carrying on unrestricted warfare against Norwegian fishermen. Five Norwegian vessels were recently sunk in the Arctic and a Russian mail steamer was shelled, numerous casualties resulting.

Many persons have been killed or wounded in the latest German air raid on London.

ARMY DELIVERS OWN MAIL.

Washington, D. C., May 20.—Delivery of mail to and from the American expeditionary forces has been taken over by the war department.

Post Master General Burleson in making the announcement tonight said that the postoffice had insisted upon the army taking over its own postal service overseas because of the refusal of the war department to make known to postal authorities the location and movement of troops.

FAILS IN TRANSIT TROUBLE.

Washington, D. C., May 20.—E. E. Greenwalt, commissioner of conciliation, reported today he had exhausted every effort to persuade the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company to compromise difficulties with its employes and asked the war labor board to assume jurisdiction over the controversy. Transportation of workers to the Hog Island ship yards and the various munitions factories is involved.

GREAT RESPONSE TO RED CROSS CAMPAIGN

Steady Stream of Dollars Pours Into Coffers to Provide Funds For Army of Mercy

Washington, D. C., May 20. — Enthusiastic reports of the progress of the American Red Cross drive for a second war mercy fund of $100,000,000 came to headquarters here in a steady stream throughout the opening day of the campaign. Messages telling of oversubscriptions in towns and counties from New England to Hawaii began arriving early in the day, while governors of nearly all states telegraphed promises of hearty co-operation in auctioning off for the benefit of the Red Cross packages of wool clipped from the President's White House sheep.

Conflicting claims to the honor of first subscribing their allotments already have been received from several points. Gov. Pinkham cabled from Honolulu that Hawaii had oversubscribed its quota of $250,000; Peabody, Mass.; Kossuth county, Ia.; Pontotoc county, Okl; and Yolo county, Cal., were others that reported early today that they had gone over the top.

Selling White House Wool.

Much rivalry in the sale of the White House wool was manifested in the telegrams from the governors. Gov. Boyle of Nevada wired:

"State that realized $275,000 by sale of Gridley sack of flour, for the Sanitary commission of the Civil war has not forgotten how to bid for liberty."

"Every dollar contributed will help the boys who are going over there to shear the Kaiser's goat," telegraphed Gov. Catts of Florida.

"Lively bidding is expected," wired Gov. Frazier of North Dakota, and telegrams of similar purport came from Governors Riggs of Alaska; Pinkham, of Hawaii; Bilbo, of Mississippi; Pleasant, Louisiana; Capper, Kansas; Whitman, New York; Beeckman, Rhode Island; Harrington, Maryland; Lowden, Illinois; Louis F. Hart, acting governor of Washington, and others.

Wishes for the success of the mercy drive were expressed by the British Red Cross in the following cable:

"The British Red Cross society, on the occasion of your Red Cross drive, cordially wishes you success in your great appeal. Your splendid work speaks for itself in every war zone, and your civilian relief work has brought fresh heart to those of our Allies whose countries have suffered so severely from the devastation of war. Good luck and Godspeed and may your fresh efforts beat even the wonderful record that you yourselves achieved last year."

$1,587,000,000 FOR NAVY IN BUDGET BILL

Carries $63,053,127 Less Than Amount Appropriated For Fiscal Year—Its Use

Washington, D. C., May 20.— Carrying a total of $1,587,000,000, or $202,849,000 more than provided by the house, the naval appropriation bill was completed late today by the senate naval committee and will be reported to the senate tomorrow.

The measure's total is $63,053,127 less than was appropriated for the navy for this fiscal year in the regular naval bill and in deficiency measures.

The senate committee redrafted to make more emphatic the provision in the house bill for beginning of the work on the three year building program of 1919.

To man the capital fleet when it is completed the senate provided for a permanent increase in the enlisted personnel of the navy to 131,540, nearly three times the number of men in the navy before the war. The president also would be authorized to increase that strength by 50,000 men for the war.

New projects added to the house bill by the committee included:

Construction at a cost of $9,250,000 of a nitrate plant at Indian head, Md., for the manufacture of nitrate for naval explosives.

Purchase for $425,000 of 4,300 acres of land at the marine corps training station at Quantico, Va.

Erection of new buildings at the naval academy to provide room for additional midshipmen, $2,500,000.

Reserve supply for equipment for the marine corps to replace material destroyed by fire or otherwise $18,577,200.

Equipping navy yards for ship construction $6,000,000.

Mine depot $3,000,000.

Other amendments by the senate committee provide:

That members of the dental corps may attain rank as high as commander and pay as high as captain.

That state naval volunteer forces of 17,000 men be transferred to the naval reserve.

That the commandant of the marine corps receive the rank and pay of a lieutenant general in the army and that the marine corps also have one major general permanently and two for the period of the war.

The increases provide.

New batteries for ships $45,537,712, ammunition $34,559,350; torpedoes and appliances $10,000,000; reserve ordnance supplies $13,000,000; New York navy yard $400,000.

You Can Never Explain

"The man who doesn't spend his money and himself in this war will spend the rest of his life explaining why he didn't—or lying about it. The after-the-war period will have its tragedies—but none greater than that of the man who finds out too late that he has gone through the most meaningful war of human history without taking a man's part in it. He will be a man without a country."

U-BOATS SINK FIVE NORWEGIAN VESSELS

Population of Country Aroused—Russian Mail Steamer Shelled—Open Boats Fired On

(By the Associated Press.)

Christiania, Norway, May 20.—German submarines again have started unrestricted warfare on Norwegian fishing boats in Arctic ocean, north and south of the Norwegian coast. Fishermen saved from sunken vessels and landed at Hamersfest report that the commander of a U-boat stated that all vessels met by him would be sunk. Norwegian ships especially would be destroyed because he said the Norwgians were sending fish oil and seal oil to England. This, however, is contrary to the truth as the export of oils is forbidden and Germany knows it.

The U-boats are said to shell vessels without warning and according to the survivors direct shells at the life boats.

Russian fishing boats and a Russian mail steamer from Vardoe eastward bound and overcrowded with passengers alsa were shelled, eight persons, among them a postmaster and his assistant were killed on the deck of the steamer.

Many others were hurt after taking to the boats.

When the commander of one German submarine was advised that Russia was at peace with Germany, he answered that he acted the way it suited him. The U-boat measured 180 feet in length and surprise is caused in shipping circles that it can carry enough oil for a cruise so far up the Norwegian coast.

Great bitterness has been caused among the Norwegian population by the acts of the submarines. The newspapers suggest that fishermen stop selling their catch to Germany.

Copenhagen, Denmark, May 20.—German submarines have sunk five Norwegian ships in the Arctic, according to advices received here. They also shelled a Russian mail steamer, killing 10 persons.

Christiania, Norway, May 20.—The Aftenposten says that 22 men have been brought to Vaida bay from one of the fishing boats sunk in the Arctic by the German submarines. Great anxiety is felt for 40 other fishing boats carrying crews totalling 500. It is known that at least five boats have already been sent to the bottom.

The passenger steamer which was shelled by the Germans, according to the Aftenposten, was lying in harbor at the time.

TURNED 21 REGISTER JUNE 5

President Issues Proclamation Calling Upon Youths to Appear Before Their Local Board.

Washington, D. C., May 20.—Upon approving today the act of congress bringing under the army draft law all men attaining the age of 21 years since the first registration day, June 5, 1917, President Wilson issued a formal proclamation fixing next June 5 as the date for new eligibles to appear before their local boards.

Male persons, whether citizens or not are required to register. Exemptions under the original act including the men already in the military service apply and to these the new laws adds ministrial and medical students now pursuing their students.

FAMOUS WOMAN VIOLINIST DIES.

New York, May 20. — Mrs. Benjamin F. Roeder, widely known in musical circles as Geraldine Morgan, the first American violinist to win the Mendelssohn prize in Berlin, died after a brief illness here today.

GOTHAM'S R. C. DRIVE STARTS WITH A RUSH

Believed Unofficially $5,000,000 Was Raised in First Day—Many Large Donations

New York, May 20.—Local Red Cross workers started early this morning their task of raising one-quarter of of the second $100,000,000 war fund needed by the Red Cross and toward the end of the day a sum running well up into the millions had been donated. While exact figures were not available tonight it was estimated that nearly one-fifth of the city quota had been obtained in the first day.

Inspired by the sight of President Wilson marching down Fifth avenue Saturday at the head of a great "army of mercy" Americans opened their pocketbooks freely to supply the dollars required for the comfort of American soldiers and their allies fighting militarism over sea. From Low Lynn, formerly a resident of China, who announced that he would contribute a day's receipts from his three Chinese restaurants, to the native born Americans directing the largest crporations in the city came gifts according to their means.

Among other large contributions were George F. Baker $1,000,000; J. P. Morgan & Co., $500,000 (of which $325,000 is credited to this district) Guggenheim Brothers $55,000; General Motors Chevrolet company $300,000 (to be divided among various districts); Utah Copper company $250,000; Phelps, Dodge & Company $200,000; Kuhn, Loeb & company $125,000; T. A. Gillespie, $50,000; Mr. and Mrs. James B. Duke $25,000; R. H. Macy & company $15,000.

More than $30,000 was raised at a rally held in the city hall park by the women's committee of the mayor's committee on national defense while a large sum was obtained at a meeting at St. Paul's chapel where George W. Wickersham, United States attorney general under President Taft, was the chief speaker.

The Atlantic division, which comprises New Jersey, Connecticut and this state outside of New York city raised $3,491,165 on the opening day according to an announcement made tonight by G. F. Dahl, chairman of the campaign committee for the division.

Trawler Sinks Submarine; Airplane Damages U-Boat

Washington, D. C., May 20.—The sinking of a German submarine by a French trawler is reported today in an official dispatch from France. The trawler commanded by First Mate Leroux, left a patrol base and meeting the submarine promptly sunk her and took prisoners the entire crew, including the captain.

The captain of a Spanish schooner who was on board the submarine was taken on the trawler, which returned without injury.

Paris, France, May 20. — The German submarine U-39, according to a Havas dispatch from Carthagina, was probably damaged in an encounter with a French hydroaeroplane off Gibraltar. The U-boat was on patrol duty off the Moroccan coast, when it was sighted by the airmen who opened fire and dropped bombs. Several hits were made and the submarine was forced to submerge. It regained the surface with difficulty and was joined by a second U-boat, which accompanied it to the Carthagena.

SHOE TRUST MAY REMAIN COMBINE

Supreme Court of U. S. Says There Is No Restraint of Trade Concerned

GOVERNMENT LOSES

Efficient Management Should Not Be Discouraged Is Verdict, First of Kind

Washington, D. C., May 20. — Through an opinion which some construed as indicating a new attitude on big business and on which the court divided four to three the supreme court today refused to order the dissolution of the United Shoe Machinery company of Massachusetts and its subsidiaries, forming the so-called shoe machinery trust.

While admitting the magnitude of the combination, the court declared its growth resulted from efficient management and not oppression, and held that the breaking up of such a concern under a dissolution order would be practically impossible.

This suit, instituted by the government in 1911, is the first under the Sherman anti-trust act to be decided by the supreme court in a number of years, and for the first time in recent history a complete victory has been won by an organization attacked by the government. In the proceedings the government not only sought the dissolution of the company, which it contended to be an organization in restraint of trade, but also the abolishment of the so-called "tying leases," by which the company retained control over shoe machinery leased to shoe manufacturers.

The lower court decided in favor of the company and dismissed the suit. The supreme court affirms that decision in a majority opinion rendered by Associate Justice McKenna and concurred in by Chief Justice White and Associate Justices Holmes and VanDedenter. Justices Day, Pitney and Clark dissented, the former in an opinion declaring the shoe machinery company does dominate the trade and that the tying leases are a violation of the Sherman law. Justices McReynolds and Brandeis did not participate, because of their previous connection with the case, the former as attorney general.

Answering the government's contention that the company is an organization in restraint of trade and should be broken up as an unlawful trust, the majority opinion declared that "the idea is repellant that so complete an instrumentality should be dismantled and its concentration and efficiency lost."

FINISHED TEN STEEL SHIPS IN PAST WEEK

Aggregated 58,850 Tons—Fourteen Other Vessels of 43,000 Tons Launched

Washington, D. C., May 20. — Ten steel ships of 58,850 aggregate tonnage were completed and delivered to the Emergency Fleet corporation during the past week and 14 others, some wood and some steel, of 43,000 tons, were launched.

On Saturday four wooden ships left the ways, the third time during the present month when four vessels of this type were launched in a single day. The total number of wooden ships launched in May to date is 22.

The completed ships include eight requisitioned and two built on contracts. Four of them were of 8,800 tons or larger. They were delivered at San Francisco, Cal.; Chester, Pa.; Seattle, Wash., (two); Ecorse, Mich.; Camden, N. J.; Tanitowoc, Wis.; Ashtabula, Ohio; Long Beach, Cal.; and Cleveland, Ohio.

Two of the vessels launched were steel and 12 were wood. Nine of them were launched on the Pacific coast, three on the lakes and one each on the Atlantic and the Gulf. As hulls are being put into the water now faster than machinery can be obtained to equip them, it was learned today that the shipping board has acceded to the navy department's refusal to surrender turbines ordered for destroyers.

Chairman Hurley today wrote Mayor Thompson of Chicago asking him to see what can be done to expedite the movement of vessels built on the lakes, which will go to Chicago to load war material for the trip to the ocean.

Draw bridges in Chicago are allowed to be opened only at certain hours, which it is feared may delay the vessels.

Lumber and labor conditions in the south have improved so much since January 1 that southern ship yards soon will be able to work night shifts, according to a report made today to the Emergency Fleet corporation by John H. Kirby, who has been making a survey of conditions in the south.

BENNETT'S BODY AT PARIS.

Paris, France, May 20. — James Gordon Bennett's body arrived in Paris this morning from Nice. The funeral service will be held Thursday at the American church in the Avenue de L'Alma. The burial will take place in the Passy cemetery.

German Air Raid on London Took 58 Lives

London, England, May 20. — More deaths and injuries to innocent inhabitants of London were caused in the German air raid last night than in any raid this year except that of January 28. Fifty-eight persons were killed and 122 injured.

This was the sixth raid of the year, the last one having been made on March 7. The provinces got off lightly. Virtually all the bombs dropped off outside of London. In fact it appears as though the raiders on being foiled in their atempt to reach London, got rid of the bombs in spots where it was impossible to do serious damage.

Spectators had a splendid view of an aerial fight which resulted fataly to one of the raiders. His machine fell in flames to the accompaniment of cheers of the watchers.

London, England, May 20.—Besides the four raiders already announced as having been destroyed during the air raid on London last night, a fifth was brought down and fell flaming in the sea. Two others are reported to have fallen in the sea, but this is not confirmed.

U. S. MAY TAKE STAND ON IRISH QUESTION

American Labor Mission Quits Dublin After Hearing All Sides and Being Harrassed

Washington, D. C., May 20.—There are indications that the American government soon will make clear its attitude toward the latest developmens in the Irish situation. Resolutions adopted by recent Irish mass meetings in this country and the approaching visit of the Lord Mayor of Dublin to this country, are said to impress upon the officials of this country the necessity of some action.

In a statement that may be made regarding Ireland it is said the United States government will take a firm position with due regard to the fact that American soldiers are fighting with the British in France against the common foe.

Dublin, Ireland, May 20. — The seven members of the American labor mission, who today ended a three days' visit to Ireland, have taken a keen interest in the events happening since Saturday. There has been a distinct effort by the extreme Irish party to make capital out of the visit of the Americans, but the delegates proved themselves a match for all intrigues and insisted on meeting and speaking with representatives of all shades of opinion without embarrassing consequences.

A Sinn Fein delegate, who yesterday called on the American mission representing the American labor delegation now in England, endeavored to create a scene in the hotel lobby by declaring loudly that Americans were not treating the Sinn Fein fairly.

The members of the mission replied that they would be glad to listen to all sides and that they proposed to view the Irish question without prejudice, but that they could not take sides in internal English questions.

BRITISH DOWN 27 HUN AIRPLANES IN ONE DAY

Lose Twelve of Their Own in Operations of Fighting in Skies and Bombing Depots

London, England, May 20.—During the aerial fighting on Saturday, 27 German airplanes were destroyed, three were driven down out of control, and three German balloons were burned according to the report on aerial operations issued by the war office. Twelve British machines are missing.

The statement reads:

"Another full day's work in the air was accomplished on May 19. Our balloons and airplanes actively cooperated with the artillery observing the fire of our batteries and locating hostile guns.

"The enemy's railway stations, airdromes, dumps, and billets were attacked by our airplanes, which dropped over 17 tons of bombs.

"Severe fighting occurred well east of the battle line where our bombing machines were attacked by large hostile formations. Three German balloons were burned, 27 of their airplanes were destroyed and three were driven down out of control. Twelve of ours are missing.

"Bombing operations were carried out vigorously after dark on both sides. Our machines dropped 15 tons of bombs on the Chaulnes, Douai and Marcoing railway stations, the St. Dennis Westrem airdrome was also bombarded as well as enemy establishments at Braye and Bapaume. A large enemy bombing machine was brought down behind our lines by gun fire.

"On May 19 we dropped a ton of bombs on the gas works, barracks and station at Landau northwest of Karlsruhe. The railway was hit several times and fires were started. All our machines returned."

AIRPLANES AND SIGNAL CORPS ARE DIVORCED

President Gives Production of Planes to New Bureau

NEW LAW PERMITS STEP

Making and Operating of Aircraft to Be Held Separate From the Military Service

J. D. RYAN HEADS PRODUCTION

Director of Military Aeronautics Established Under Maj. Gen. Kenly—Probe Proceeds

Washington, D., C., May 20.—Reorganization of the army air service was completed today by President Wilson as his first act under the new law permitting him to re-adjust departments for the war. In an executive order he directed that the air service be wholly divorced from the signal corps and also that the producing and operating air craft of all kinds in the military service be separate.

The order formally creates a bureau of aircraft production described as an executive agency, which "shall exercise full, complete and exclusive jurisdiction and control over the production of airplanes, airplane engines and aircraft equipment for the use of the army," under a director of air craft production who shall also be chairman of the aircraft board. This gives full legal status and power to John D. Ryan, recently appointed director of aircraft production and chairman of the aircraft board and the order transfers to him all funds, plans, buildings and personnel of the signal corps having to do with aircraft production.

Kenly Heads Military Aeronautics.

Similarly, the position of director of military aeronautics, now held by Maj. Gen. William L. Kenly, is formally established and all funds, duties, equipment and personnel of the Signal corps connected with the operation of aircraft and balloons and with the training of aviators placed under his direction. The Signal corps reverts to its old functions, having to do only with army signalling and the transmission of military information.

Maj. Gen. George O. Squier, chief signal officer, remains in that post but without connection with the air service, except that by law as chief signal officer he continues as an ex officio member of the aircraft board.

In connection with the reorganization made at a time when the department of justice is undertaking, at the direction of the department of justice, brought against the honesty and loyalty of men heretofore in full control of the air program, Secretary Baker directed today that Colonels H. L. Montgomery, E. A. Deeds and S. D. Waldon of the Signal corps be detached from all other duties and assigned to assist the attorney general in his inquiry. The instructions make it clear that these officers are not to be regarded as suspended under charges. They are detailed to give Attorney General Gregory and Charles E. Hughes, who is to direct the inquiry, all information in the hands of the war department relating to the aircraft program. As the men directly in charge of production and of the aircraft board, the three officers have personal knowledge of every phase of the subject.

MARCH IN LINE TO BE MADE A FULL GENERAL

Acting Chief of Staff Has Filled Position to Satisfaction of All Concerned

Washington, D. C., May 20.—President Wilson is about to nominate Maj. Gen. Peyton C. March, acting chief of staff of the army, as chief of staff with the rank of general.

Since the grade of full general has been authorized only for the chief of staff and the commander of the expeditionary forces, General Tasker H. Bliss, who until now has held the title of chief of staff, though detailed as permanent military representative on the supreme war council, will be nominated for the brevet rank of general.

During the months that have passed since he was called from France to succeed General Bliss, General March has filled the position as head of the army to the entire satisfaction of the President and there has been no question that his appointment would be made permanent.

FAIRBANKS SERIOUSLY ILL.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 20.—Charles W. Fairbanks, former vice president of the United States, is critically ill at his home here with Bright's disease. His condition was better today than for a few days past, it was reported, but physicians stated tonight that he may not recover.

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BASEBALL RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

GIANTS PLAY AT CHANCES.

New York Nationals Make Profit of St. Louis Errors and Own Batting.

St. Louis, Mo., May 20.—Poor fielding by the local team coupled with opportune hitting by New York enabled the latter to win the first game of the series today, 5 to 3.

		R	H	E
New York	0 0 1 0 0 0 1 2 0	5	8	1
St. Louis	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2	3	7	0

Batteries—Perritt, Anderson and McCarthy; Sherdell and Gonzales.

PIRATES ARE NOT HOSPITABLE.

Trim Quakers on First Visit of Season to Forbes Field, 5 to 1.

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 20.—The Philadelphia Nationals made their initial appearance of the season at Forbes Field today, and were defeated by Pittsburgh, 5 to 1.

Philadelphia	0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0	1	5	1
Pittsburgh	2 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0	5	11	1

Batteries — Watson and Burns; Cooper and Archer.

ROBINS WALLOP THE CUBS.

Timely Hitting Gives Superbas Easy Victory Over Chicago.

Chicago, Ill., May 20.—Timely hitting, which included Z. Wheat's double and Myer's home run, following an error by Hollocher, gave Brooklyn a commanding lead over Chicago today and the visitors won the first game of the series, 5 to 2.

Brooklyn	4 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0	5	10	0
Chicago	1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0	2	8	2

Batteries—Marquard and Kurger; Walker, Carter, Weaver and Killifer.

REDS WIN IN THE FIFTH.

Cincinatti Bunches Six Clean Hits Off Ragan in Fifth to Win Easily.

Cincinatti, Ohio, May 20.—Cincinatti bunched six clean hits off Ragan in the fifth inning today and easily defeated Boston 5 to 2.

Boston	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1	2	6	0
Cincinatti	0 0 0 0 4 0 1 0 0	5	11	2

Batteries — Ragan, Canovan and Wilson; Toney and Wingo.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

SEVEN RUNS ON SIX HITS.

Boston Uses Bat Freely and Defeats Cleveland, 11 to 1.

Boston, Mass., May 20.—Boston hammered Bagby for seven runs on six hits and A. Speakers error in the fifth inning today. Groom finished for the visitors and was hit freely. Boston won 11 to 1. Boston hit sixteen safeties for a total of 24 bases.

		R	H	E
Cleveland	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0	1	5	1
Boston	0 0 0 0 7 0 0 2 2 0	11	16	0

Batteries — Bagby, Groom, and O'Neill; Mayl and Schang.

YANKEES LOSE, 6 TO 2.

Chicago Takes Game from New York Americans With Little Difficulty.

New York, May 20.—Chicago defeated New York today 6 to 2.

Chicago	0 0 1 3 0 0 0 1 1	6	10	1
New York	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0	2	6	2

Batteries — Williams and Schalk; Love, Mogridge, Russell and Hannah.

SHOCKER PITCHES VICTORY.

Leads His Team Over the Senators Rough-Shod to 4 to 2 Score.

Washington, D. C., May 20.—Urban Shocker pitched St. Louis to a 4 to 2 victory over Washington here today.

St. Louis	0 0 2 1 0 0 0 0 1	4	12	1
Washington	0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0	2	4	1

Batteries—Shocker and Nunamaker; Harper, Kraft and Ainsmith, Casey.

KOPP—COPS GAME FOR ATHLETES.

With Two Out and Bases Full in Fourteenth, He Steals Home.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 20.—With two out and the bases full in the fourteenth inning today, Merwin Kopp of the Athletes stole home, beating Detroit 5 to 4.

Detroit	0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0	4	9	2
Philadelphia	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 1 0 1	5	14	3

Batteries—Dauff and Spencer; Myers and McAvoy.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

	R	H	E
At Rochester	2	5	3
Newark	7	9	2
At Buffalo	5	9	1
Binghamton	4	9	3
At Toronto	5	11	3
Baltimore	10	17	2

At Syracuse Jersey City called end fourth inning, rain.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

At Milwaukee, 2; Columbus, 9.
At St. Paul, 4; Indianapolis, 2.
At Kansas City, 6; Toledo, 1.
At Minneapolis-Louisville game played yesterday as part of double header.

STANDING OF TEAMS.

National League.

Team.	W.	L	Pct.
New York	21	7	.750
Chicago	17	10	.630
Cincinnati	17	13	.567
Pittsburgh	14	12	.538
Philadelphia	11	15	.423
Brooklyn	10	16	.385
Boston	10	18	.357
St. Louis	9	18	.333

American League.

Team.	W.	L	Pct.
Boston	19	10	.655
Chicago	14	11	.560
New York	15	13	.536
Cleveland	15	14	.517
St. Louis	12	13	.480
Washington	13	15	.464
Philadelphia	12	15	.444
Detroit	7	16	.304

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

The New York Market.

New York, May 20.—Stocks fluctuated with extreme violence during today's irregular session, prices rising and falling several times on a further large volume of operations.

From a strong opening based on the liberal attitude of the administration toward the railroads the market soon rallied. Partial rallies at mid-day were succeeded by more extensive declines in the afternoon when rumors of friction between the war board and the steel producers gained currency.

In point of place the reversals which ran from 2 to 6 points were primarily due to the marked change in technical conditions. Last week extensive advance offered a foundation for fresh selling of the more vulnerable issues, notably industrials and equipments.

The more erratic f atures of these groups included U. S. steel which made a net decline of 2½ points, after having started with a substantial gain; Republic Iron, which replaced a one point rise with a one point loss, and Baldwin Locomotive which repeated last week's gyrations at a net extreme advance of 6 points, half of which was later yielded.

Prime money was in scant supply, but call loans were relatively easy despite the week's contraction for bank reserves. Foreign remittances were virtually unaltered.

Domestic bonds including Liberty issues, were again inclined to ease, internationals also sharing.

United States bo ds (old issues) were unchanged on call.

New York Produce.

Butter — Steady; receipts, 9,459. Creamery, higher than extras, 45½@46; creamery, extras (92 score), 45; firsts, 42½@44½; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 30@30½.

Eggs—Irregular; receipts, 14,683. Fresh gathered, extras, 36@37; fresh gathered, storage packed, firsts, 34½@35½; do, regular packed, extra firsts, 34½@35; do firsts, 33@34; state, Pennsylvania and nearby western henery whites, fine to fancy, 39@40; do browns, 37@38; do gathered browns and mixed colors, 33½@35.

Cheese—Irregular; receipts, 3,236. State, held specials, 24½@26; do, average run, 23½@25; do, fresh, specials, 23; do, average run, 22@22½.

Live Poultry—Unsettled; no prices quoted. Dressed, weak; chickens, 27@44; fowls, 29@37; turkeys, 25@38.

New York Meats.

Beeves — Receipts, 2,920; steady. Steers, $13.50@17.75; bulls, $8.50@13.75; cows, $5.00@11.00.

Calves—Receipts, 6,620; firm. Veals, 12.50@16; culls, $11@12; skim milk calves, $10.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2,380; no sales.

Hogs — Receipts, 5,500; steady. Heavy. Heavy to light weights, $18@18.50; roughs, $16.50.

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HAS THE SPIRIT OF LINCOLN SPOKEN?

Has Abraham Lincoln spoken to the American people on this war? This is the question suggested by a singular coincidence in the National Capital this week.

Dr. John Wesley Hill, chancellor of Lincoln Memorial University, at Cumberland Gap, Tennessee, was in Washington to inspect the new Lincoln Memorial on Potomac Drive for the first time.

The university of which Dr. Hill is chancellor was founded at Abraham Lincoln's personal request by General O. O. Howard, as an institution where both boys and girls might secure an education without regard to financial circumstances. As chancellor of this institution, Dr. Hill has been chosen to organize and direct the work of the Lincoln Patriotic Army, the big nation wide organization just established to help win the war through the patriotic help of all true American citizens who enlist in it.

When Dr. Hill with two United States senators interested in the Lincoln Patriotic Army—Senator Robert L. Owen, of Oklahoma and Senator James E. Watson, of Indiana—was inspecting the yet uncompleted Lincoln Memorial, Senator Owen happened to point to some exquisitely chiseled lettering on one of the walls when it was found that the words to which the Oklahoma senator had pointed were these:

"STRIVE ON TO FINISH THE WORK WE ARE IN; TO BIND UP THE NATION'S WOUNDS; TO CARE FOR HIM WHO SHALL HAVE BORNE THE BATTLE AND FOR HIS WIDOW AND HIS ORPHAN; TO DO ALL WHICH MAY ACHIEVE AND CHERISH A JUST AND LASTING PEACE AMONG OURSELVES AND WITH ALL NATIONS."

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Prices Paid Producers.

Butter, fresh dairy	47@48
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NEGRO AND WIFE LYNCHED.

ValDosta, Ga., May 20.—Hays Turner, negro and his wife, Mary Turner, accused of connection with the murder of Hampton Smith, Brooks county farmer, and the wounding of his wife at their home near Barney last Thursday night have been hanged by a mob. Two of the other negros, Will Head and Will Thompson were lynched Friday night.

Turner was lynched Saturday at Okatilco river in Brooks county after the mob had learned that the plot to attack the Smiths was made at his home. Mary Turner, who was said to have had Smith's watch in her possession when captured was hanged at Falson's bridge on Little river.

Thompson and Head were caught Friday night. Head confessed his part in the crime, saying that he stole Smith's gun and gave it to Thompson.

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OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

PATRIOTIC DEMONSTRATION

MARKING OPENING OF COOPERSTOWN RED CROSS DRIVE.

Parade Representative of Different Organizations and Schools of County Seat Lead by Mrs. Frederic de Puyster Townsend as Marshal Presents Fine Appearance and Greeted With Hearty Applause.

Cooperstown, May 20.—Seldom in the history of the village has a more patriotic demonstration been held than that of Saturday afternoon, marking the opening of the Red Cross drive. Favored by sunny skies and warm weather the day was all that could be desired for the event.

The parade started at 2 o'clock from Village hall, passing up Chestnut street to Susquehanna avenue, then to Elm and across Chestnut to the High school, where the pupils and students were gathered; then the column passed down Chestnut to Main as far as the Village club, gathering at the Liberty pole at the intersection of Main and Pioneer streets, where a community sing took place.

The marshal of the day was Mrs. Frederick de Puyster Townsend, having as aids, William Beattie, E. A. Stanford and H. R. Skirving.

The Cooperstown band followed. Charles A. Collar was color bearer. Drs. Dewar, Cruttenden and Conkling, followed by Mrs. C. G. Tennant and Mrs. Frank Shipman with dogs as Red Cross helpers came next. The large Red Cross flag borne by several ladies was followed by the service flag of the International Milk Products company, which has upon it thirty-two stars.

Next in order came the seven Red Cross auxiliaries of Whig Corners, Middlefield Center, Pierstown, Hartwick, Toddsville, Chase, Cherry Valley, each with its banner of identification.

The members of the National League for Women's Service followed. The members of the Susan Fenimore Cooper foundation made a fine showing and did some excellent marching, even the little tots keeping step as well as the elders.

The Fenimore Farm milk wagon was transferred into an ambulance; this was followed by the Thanksgiving Hospital Superintendent Miss Falvey and thirteen of the nurses of the institution.

Principal Multer with several of his assistant teachers in the High school accompanied the students, and the Union school by grades, accompanied by the teachers of them followed the older pupils.

A float by the National League for Women's service was attractive as its load of little children appealed to all. The float was prettily decorated with evergreen boughs.

The "Spirit of '76" was present and received much applause as the trio passed along the streets.

Charles T. Cooke with his faithful pair of hounds as Red Cross dogs followed the fife and drum

The members of L. C. Turner Post, G. A. R., came next in order, they were represented by nine veterans.

The old coach of Colonial Days now in the possession of James Fenimore Cooper was a feature of the day, with its liveried driver and footman and its quaintly dressed ladies.

The ladies belonged to the Auxiliary of the Sons of Veterans made an excellent showing, as nearly every member able to walk was present in line.

A float representing Uncle Sam and the Allies came next, the other countries being represented by men of their own nationality dressed in their home costumes.

The mothers and sisters of men who are in service were next to appear and many service flags bore testimony to the number of sons this village has in the army and navy.

Our newly formed Home Guard followed these ladies.

A float representing a wounded soldier attended by his Red Cross nurse, the soldier being little Robert Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cook, Mrs. John V. Clark the nurse, was followed by the Cooperstown Chamber of Commerce.

Harry Willsey and Carry Tubbs acted as as stretcher bearers.

Edward S. Clarke with his automobile filled with little girld dressed in white and carrying flags lead the line of nineteen cars that brought the rear of the procession.

The ladies and chilren who took part were dressed wholly in white, and wore the Red Cross caps, the Auxiliary to the Sons of Veterans wore the Red, White and Blue bands draped from the shoulder to waist. All carried flags or Red Cross markers or pennants.

For neatness, order and fine appearance in every way, nothing has excelled the day's program in this village, and if the other days of the drive prove as successful the society will be "over the top" with a fine record.

After the parade, the field day events took place in Main street.

Later in the day a photoplay, "The Spirit of the Red Cross," was shown in the Village hall.

Red Cross Community Day.

Sunday was Red Cross community day. At 3 p. m. there was a children's community sing in the village hall, an address by Major Belden of the Canadian Royal artillery, a talk on "The Children's Part in Red Cross Work," by Mrs Frederick de Puyster Townsend, and a moving picture, "Humanity's appeal."

The evening exercises consisted of a community sing in charge of Dr. Hallam, leader of the Albany Community chorus, addresses by Major Belden and Rev. J. C. Russell, D. D. of the First Presbyterian church of Oneonta.

Mrs. George Cooper Hurt.

Saturday, Mrs. George Cooper was knocked down in an automobile accident. The car of John F. Brady was parked in front of the Freeman's Clothes store. It is claimed the self starter was not in working order and Mr. Brady tried to crank the car while it was in gear. The automobile backed upon the pavement, knocking Mrs Cooper down, and was stopped just in the nick of time to prevent the crashing through the large plate glass window. Mrs. Cooper was unconscious when carried into Freeman's store, but soon regained consciousness. It is thought she received no serious injuries.

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OUT OF OTEGO.

Gleaners' Society of Baptist Church Elects New Officers.

Otego, May 20.—At the annual business meeting of the Gleaners' society of the Baptist church, the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Raymond Redington; vice president, Mrs. B. F. Shepherd; assistant vice president, Mrs. M. T. Jones; recording secretary, Miss Frances Wykes; corresponding secretary, Mrs. E. H. Browne; treasurer, Miss Marion Shepherd.

Red Cross Notes.

The weekly meeting of the Red Cross will be held with Mrs. Mary A. Baldwin, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

There will be no evening meeting of the younger members.

All finished knitted articles should be in, on or before Monday, May 27.

Ladies' Aid Supper.

The second division of the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold a supper in the church parlors on Wednesday of this week, beginning at six o'clock

Cottage Prayer Meeting.

The Baptist prayer meeting will be held with Mrs. R. C. Trask on Tuesday evening

People You Know.

Arthur Flint of Ilion spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Flint.—Luther Buchanan, seaman in the U. S. navy, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Buchanan.—Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Jennings and Mrs. Blaine Wakeman, spent Sunday with relatives in Mt. Vision.—Mrs. J. C. Delaney of Oxford is spending a few days here.—Mrs. W. S. Cooke and daughter, Vida, who have been spending the winter in Charlotte, N. C., have returned to their home.—Tony White, who is in camp in Georgia, has been visiting friends here.

EPWORTH LEAGUE PLAY.

Playet to be Given in Mt. Vision Church Friday Evening.

Mt. Vision, May 20.—The Epworth league will give an entertainment in the Methodist Episcopal church Friday evening. There will a a short play, "The Midgets' Grand Parade," by the members of the Sunday school. Miss Emma Wilbur of Richfield Springs will give several readings. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the Red Cross work. Admission: Adults, 15 cents; children 10 cents.

Work for the Red Cross.

Dr. Ford and Charles Beams of Oneonta visited the Red Cross rooms Thursday to speak to the ladies in the interest of the second war fund. The community was divided into seven districts with the following captains No. 1, Rev. E. D. Cooke; No. 2, Mrs. Charles Ackley; No. 3, Mrs. William Lake; No. 4, Miss Tressa Patterson; No 5; Miss Laura Cleveland; No 6, Mrs Arthur Hoose; No 7, Mrs. George Fowlston. The house-to-house canvass is being made this week and many donations have already been made.

Meeting of Official Board.

At the close of the prayer meeting at the Methodist Episcopal church, Wednesday evening, there will be a meeting of the official board. All who are interested in the proposition of wiring the church for electricity are invited to attend.

Personals.

Mrs. Solomon Squires, who has been an invalid the past year, was able to attend church Sunday. All are hoping for her entire recovery.—Mrs. Albert Bice returned to her home at Fly Creek Wednesday, after caring for her sister, Mrs. S. Squires, during the winter. — Mr. and Mrs. Seybolt of Davenport were guests of Solomon Squires Saturday. — Mrs. E. E. Beals, who has been in Syracuse the past four weeks, stopped here Saturday on her way home, visiting the Misses Wilbur and Mrs. Hiram Shove. —Mrs. Addie Robinson and grandson of Brooklyn came to their home here last week for the summer.—Mrs. W. Davis of Spokane, Washington, visited her friend, Miss Lena Wright, Thursday.—Rev. Ira Estes of Syracuse called on his niece, Mrs. Silas Mead, Saturday.—The local Red Cross chapter has sent 113 small compresses to Oneonta headquarters.

Union Service at Portlandville.

Portlandville, May 20. — The Milford Center church will unite with the Portlandville church Sunday in the annual Memorial service. The sermon will be preached at 10:30 a. m. by the Rev. Hunt at the Christian church.

DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

WAR SHOW BIG SUCCESS.

Large Attendance During Week Brings Receipts Up to $3,200.

Delhi, May 20.—The war show held here the past week was a great success, the attendance being remarkably large, considering that this is a busy season of the year for farmers.

The address Saturday evening by Justice of the Supreme Court Rowland L. Davis, was full of wise counsel to govern the people in the present emergency.

The gross receipts were $3,200, of which the Red Cross receives $2,500 and the War Fund $700.

Editor Wyer to Leave?

It is rumored that Editor Wyer of the Delaware Express has received a flattering proposition to edit a daily in one of the smaller cities i the central part of the state.

Men For Camp Wadsworth.

On May 29, 11:30 a. m. train, exemption board No. 1 will send 49 men and Walton board 51 men to Camp Wadsworth, Sapartanburg, S. C.

Auto Runs Down Bicyclist.

Considerable excitement was occasioned at the corner of Main and Kingston streets Sunday afternoon, when an automobile driven by a stranger collided with a bicycle ridden by Allie Finch. Allie received a badly bruised wrist and his bicycle was damaged.

Local Mention.

Director C. O. DuBois of the Agricultural school made a very effective appeal in behalf of the Red Cross work at the Second Presbyterian church Sunday.—Rev. and Mrs. T. B. Anderson and family of Paul Smith's, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Graham. Mr. Anderson preached at First Presbyterian church Sunday morning and at Second Presbyterian church in the evening.—James D. Birdsall is working with William H. Maynard for the sale of farms for the E. A. Stout Farm agency.—G. A. Heckroth and W. T Black have been re-elected members of the Board of Education of this school district.—Clayton Flint, an electrician, left for Camp Dix and Irving Hutson, a carpenter, left for Greenville, S. C., last week, having been inducted in the U. S. service by the exemption board here.—Delhi grange has accepted an invitation from Bloomville grange to celebrate with them at that place Thursday evening, May 30.—Peter F. Brady has been appointed to a clerkship in the post office in place of Robert Gemmel, who is in the army.—Frank Farrington sings at Cooperstown on May 21 in aid of the war fund.—LeRoy Maybie has taken employment in Aaron Stern's store.—Edward St. John, a former conductor on the Delhi branch, is spending a few days in town.—George E. Scott is building a garage on his lot, corner Main and Clinton streets. — Mrs. George A. Fisher, wh has with Mr. Fisher been spending the winter at Albany, has returned home and is the guest for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Honeywell.

SIDNEY TO RAISE $4,000.

Will Work Energetically to Secure Quota for Red Cross.

Sidney, May 20. — Sidney is energetically going to work to raise its quota in the great Red Cross fund of $100,000,000, and of which the town's share is $4,000. The quota for the three chapters of Delaware county, Delhi, Walton and Sidney, is $20,000, and Sidney chapter with its three auxiliaries at Sidney Center, Masonville and East Guilford, should easily raise the require quota. Tuesday evening a committee will visit Masonville and attend a rally at one of the churches in that village. It will consist of Mayor B. E. Pudney, Rev. O. T. Fletcher and Arthur Bird. They will be accompanied by the Red Cross quartet, Mr. and Mrs. James Hare, Mrs. Earl Case and C. E. Landers. Wednesday evening they will attend a rally at Sidney Center, Rev. A. D. Finch replacing Mr. Fletcher as one of the speakers and on Thursday evening the committee will attend a meeting at East Guilford

Mrs. Samuel Cuyle.

Mrs Samuel Cuyle, who has been a resident of Sidney the past four years, living with her daughter, Mrs. Hopkins Parker, died Friday morning after a brief illness at the home of her son, Leon Cuyle, at Manorkill, where she was visiting. Her age was 55 years. The remains were brought to Sidney today and the funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock, from the Parker home on Bridge street. Burial will be in Prospect Hill cemetery. Besides the daughter mentioned she is survived by the following children: Leon, of Manorkill; Albert, of Gillette, Pa.; Frank, of Binghamton; Bertha, of Walton, and Mrs. Henry Moore, of Hamilton.

Rev. Barnfather Given Surprise Party

Wednesday evening, at the Baptist church parlors, the members of the church gave a surprise party to their pastor, Rev. William Barnfather. It was largely attended and was a genuine surprise, Mr. Barnfather having no inkling of the affair until he was ushered into the presence of the self-invited guests. He was equal to the occasion, however, and assisted in passing a most delightful evening. A program of music, addresses and recitations was given and the highly esteemed minister was presented with a substantial sum of money as a token of that esteem. Those arranging the affair were Bert Elliott, Mrs. H. LeSuer, Mrs. Julia Parker and Mrs. Rose Keeler.

Sidney High Defeats New Berlin.

The Sidney High school baseball team defeated the New Berlin school nine in that village Saturday afternoon by a score of 6-1. It was a closely played game and exciting from start to finish. At the close of the seventh inning the score stood 1-1. The battery for Sidney was Mazzarella and Hilborn. For New Berlin, Melnick, Becue and Burch. Walton High school nine will play the Sidney boys on the local diamond on Saturday of this week.

Mrs. Blenis Cuts Hand.

While cleaning house Mrs. Waldo Blenis of this village received a bad cut on her left hand. She was replacing a window which she had cleaned when it slipped from her hands. In attempting to save it the glass was broken and a gash was cut across the back of her hand. Though painful it is healing rapidly and no serious results are feared.

Birthday Surprise Party.

Miss Celia Elliott was given a surprise party by several of her friends on the occasion of her seventeenth birthday. Miss Elliott is a popular young lady of Sidney and is employed at the Kayser factory, and the self invited guests consisted of her fellow employes of the mill. A pleas-

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The Same in Cooperstown

Cooperstown Residents Speak Out For the Welfare of the Public

It is just the same in Cooperstown as here in Oneonta; our friends there speak out in the same glad, earnest way as so many grateful Oneonta men and women have spoken in these columns for years past.

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EDITORIAL BREVITIES.

The War chest campaign starts off swimmingly in Oneonta. Already a considerable sum is subscribed and day by day will see more added to the figures. There should be no difficulty in raising a full hundred thousand dollars in our city. There will be none if every citizen does his full duty.

That George Creel should send an apology to congress for his slanting remark that "he was not engaged in slumming," was of course to have been expected. Had it been anybody save Creel there would have been quite general disposition on the part of the press to stand by him. The press knowns congress, but it also knows Creel, and it is not to be wondered at that it does not take sides for him in this controversy.

American troops in force are in Flanders and when the new German drive opens there will be work for them, and work also for the various humanitarian agencies which with the Red Cross are working side by side with the soldiers. Just bear this in mind as you wait for the first tidings of the big German offensive, which must of necessity come, and let the thought of it open your hands and purses wider when you contribute to the War Chest.

These growing days inspire farmers and gardeners to push forward their spring offensive. The soil is in perfect condition and the mellow earth is waiting for crops to be planted, when it, too, will get in its work. Not everybody can fight in Flanders, but everybody can do a share somewhere. For those who stay at home, one of the best things to do is to raise crops—big crops—of corn and beans and vegetables, and where possible on the farms, of wheat. There is no better way to help defeat the Kaiser. Whoever does not grow the biggest possible crops this year is not doing his full duty.

There is one grain which on account of war needs has come into its own as a food product. That is barley. Only a few months ago, perhaps not so long, it was being urged that prohibition would ruin the barley industry, since save for malting nobody would buy it. Instead there is a greater demand than ever for barley as a substitute for wheat. It is a demand which is likely to continue even after the war, so well is the grain liked wherever used. Farmers this year, besides corn and wheat, should sow barley. There is no doubt that there will be profit in it, besides helping on the Allies in the war.

There are already two candidates named as possible and in fact probable opponents of Governor Whitman for the Republican nomination for governor this fall. One of them is Attorney General Lewis. The other is Speaker Sweet of the assembly. And possibly Brooklyn will present another in Supreme Court Justice Crospey. Whether any one of them could win against the present incumbent is problematical, and it is certain that if all three or even two run Whitman will have a walkover. He has a large personal following, and he has the machinery of government both of them important factors in the campaigning of one who seeks office.

Luther Burbank, the wizard of horticulture, has lately announced that he has after eleven years of experimentation evolved a wheat which will average a yield of 40 bushels to the acre. The average crop in the United States now is 15 bushels, and to this figure it has been raised in a few years from twelve bushels. If any ordinary man had made the statement it would promptly have been ranked with the story of "miracle" wheat and other grains which have been tested out and found wanting. But when it is made by a man like Burbank, who has marvels in potatoes, plums, apples and other growths to his credit, it holds attention. The new wheat will not, of course, be sufficiently abundant to change the situation in a year or two, but at least promises that the grain which is the "staff of life" may at no distant day be more abundant.

Not Practicable.

Assistant Secretary of War Crowell has notified Secretary of the Commonwealth Langtry that it is impracticable to take an election vote among the soldiers absent in France, as certain Massachusetts politicians have been hoping might be done. No one but an unusually dense politician would ever have entertained the idea. The war department points out that the diversion of interest to deal with a remote state election would be "incompatible with the soldier's doing his full duty" and the task of circulating, collecting and mailing home several thousand ballots is pointed to as involving such a prodigious amount of bother as to make the whole thing "impossible. One need not argue the point." It is absurd to talk any more about it.—[Lowell Courier-Citizen.

COMMENTS OF THE PRESS

Only a Beginning.

Were the United States to send as many soldiers to the front in proportion to population as fought in the Civil war, we would have 11,500,000 troops in the field.

From Washington comes the report that it is "hoped" to have 1,500,000 American soldiers in Europe by the end of the present year.

America has not yet begun to fight. It has as yet scarcely begun to raise an army. What we have done so far, and are doing, is hardly more than child's play compared with what it is possible for us to do — with what every stout-hearted one among us is willing to do to achieve the victory.—[Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Stands by Russia.

No passage in President Wilson's speech for the Red Cross in New York Saturday was more notable than his declaration: "As far as I am concerned I intend to stand by Russia as well as France," and it brought the house to its feet cheering. He had immediate reference to the insincere German peace proposals aimed at a peace in the west for the sake of "a free hand, particularly in the east, to carry out purposes of conquest and exploitation." But his ringing declaration should also have the effect of heartening Russia, which has come to put great trust in his sincerity and good will.—[Springfield Republican.

Truth from the Kaiser.

In a speech at Aix-la-Chapelle, as reported by the Cologne Volks Zeitung, the Kaiser, rather thoughtlessly, told the truth for once. He said: "Truly it was not my will that the war has come." If this is placed beside his former declaration, in a sanctimonious snivel of the same kind, that "I did not will this war," the point will be entirely clear. This, in fact, was not the war he willed. What he willed was something entirely different, and being a thoroughly bad loser he is now doing the characteristic crawl of his kind.—[Wall Street Journal.

A Young-Old Man at 94.

It will surprise many that Levi P. Morton, who was regarded as an old man when nominated for vice president on the Harrison ticket in 1888, is in good health at 94. He spends his winters in Washington and divides the rest of the year between his New York city home and his country place at Rhinecliff. Young old men at that age are few.—[Springfield Republican.

Useless Visitors in France.

The Stars and Stripes, the American trench newspaper, adds its voice to the protests against useless visitors in France. Why should any American go to France nowadays who has no definite or serious service to render? All others can best help by staying at home.—[New York World.

All the President Asks.

The President knows that Mr. Hughes is honorable and able, and that is all he asks. He chooses for the aviation investigation the man who drastically and successfully investigated the insurance scandal in New York city.—[Washington Times.

Germany Disappointed.

Instead of receiving enormous supplies of wheat from the Ukraine, as promised, the working classes of Germany have been subjected to a further reduction of the flour and bread ration. They expected food and they got lies and deception with which to satisfy their appetites. — [New York World.

Styles Have Changed.

"Your daughter isn't much help to you?"

"No. She won't do a thing about the house. The time was when she used to sweep the floor with her skirts occasionally, but now I don't get even that much assistance from her."—[Detroit Free Press.

Enrollment Day is May 25.

Miss Mary Garrett Hay, chairman of the New York City Woman Suffrage party, has issued a special message to city leaders with special reference to enrollment in parties on May 25 which is the day for the personal enrollment of women in places of 5,000 population and more.

Miss Hay's message is full of the right kind of political wisdom and it should be known to suffrage leaders throughout the state. We quote from Oreoola Haskell's City Suffrage News Bulletin.

"In all our citizenship classes throughout the city," says Miss Hay, "in all our district meetings, even in the canvassing trips, we undertake in the interest of war saving stamps and the Red Cross, let us make it our special business to give to the women voters we meet, detailed explanations about their next political steps, enrollment in the parties on May 25 and voting at the primaries on September 5.

"While enrollment is a simple matter, that of putting a cross in the circle under the name and emblem of the party of one's choice, as an indication that the voter is in general sympathy with the principles of said party and expects to support it at the next election, it gives the voter an opportunity to participate in important proceedings.

Mrs. Adon Brownell Under Knife.

Mrs. Adon H. Brownell, who is visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Brownell, Main street, underwent an operation yesterday at the Fox Memorial hospital for the removal of the appendix. She is doing well. Drs. Brinkman and Latcher were the surgeons.

Flying Service Flag.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cross of 112 Main street are flying a service flag in honor of their son, William G. Cross, who is with the colors.

A Three Months' subscription to The Star for $1.00.

DISCIPLINE FOR HOME FOLKS.

Earl S. Hoyt, Writing to Parents, Urges Support of Soldier Boys.

From a letter to his father, Lieut. Earl S. Hoyt, now with the colors, writes in part as follows, which should be read by every citizen

"Yesterday we had a lecture on discipline to all the officers of the camp and the officers' training school and part of the non-commissioned officers. It was, I firmly believe, the finest, most interesting and most instructive talk I ever heard in my life. I only wish some of the citizens of this half-hearted country could have heard it. We needed it; but you folks need it, too, and perhaps more so. Did you know that the statement was issued in Germany after we declared war that the United States could never successfully intervene because democracy could never obtain the discipline necessary to wage modern warfare successfully, and the German government never makes a statement of that kind without thorough investigation. Discipline in the army can be gained, and not by the rule of brute force either, such as Germany's, but the question is can we get the necessary discipline of the country behind us?

"We haven't got it now and it fairly makes us boil here to read the reassurances published in articles which are nothing but efforts of propagandists to retard the discipline that must come. As some of us in discussion here tonight noted, we have never heard a Frenchman or an Englishman underestimate the task before us.

"How I wish I could make sleepy Oneonta and all the rest of the people feel the way we all feel here. You can't and it is going to cost a lot of men and money before you stop believing what you want to believe and thinking what you want to think and facing the task ahead of us. Discipline yourselves to push the boys at the front with every possible means at your command and then some. The only rule for discipline that Germany knows is brute force. They cannot conceive of a discipline that is love of country, love for your fellow man and love for the right. It took England a long time to gain it, France not so long, and the question now is how long will it take us? Here's hoping it will not be long."

Ireland and the Kaiser.

If the Countess Markievicz, Prof. de Valera, Dr. Dillon and others have been guilty of treasonable acts in connection with the Germans, their fate is sealed and no one will have the slightest sympathy for them. Ireland has a hard fight before her, and needs the world's aid, but she will not get it if any of her leaders ask German aid or seek the Kaiser's support.—[New York Evening Post.

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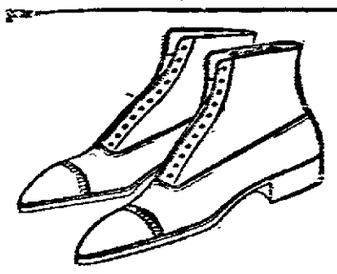

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8 a. m.	62
2 p. m.	77
8 p. m.	68

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LOCAL MENTION.

—Several additional names were received at this office yesterday to be included in the city's Roll of Honor. It is hoped that other names will be received that the list may be made complete today.

—The Star was in error yesterday in stating that word had been received that Arnold E. Hopkins had arrived safely in France. The item should have stated that intimation has been received that he is en route to Europe.

Director R. B. Clark, Secretary Westervelt and Private Wright were in Unadilla last evening addressing a Red Cross rally to assist that village in raising its quota for the hundred million dollars fund. B. C. Lauren accompanied them.

—Two lads while fishing near the power house of the electric light company on Saturday found a large carp which had become grounded between two boards under the dam, and captured the fish, carrying it out of the water much as one would carry a bundle of wood. Its weight could not be learned, but it was estimated to weigh 10 pounds.

WHAT THE RED CROSS DOES.

The Angel of Mercy Wherever the Soldier Boys Go.

If the great mass of the people could only be brought to realize the good done by the American Red Cross and how it ministers to the soldier boy wherever he may be, the funds to maintain this "The Greatest Mother in the World," would be doubly subscribed without effort.

As evidence of its ceaseless activity for those stricken with wounds or disease the following letter received by Mrs. R. J. Woodis of this city from the Red Cross hospital at Fort Sam Houston will be read with interest.

"Dear Madam:

You have already been notified by the Intelligence department of this hospital that William Clouse is seriously ill with lobar pneumonia. We want to assure you that everything is being done for him and we will keep in touch with his condition. Please call us if there is anything you wish us to do for him. We want to be of whatever service we can.

Very scincerely yours,
American Red Cross."

To know that such attention is being paid to a sick Oneonta boy should afford keen satisfaction to all and especialy to all who are contributing to this work.

Meetings Today.

The Women's Missionary society of the First Baptist church will meet with Mrs. W. S. Ford, 46 Main street, this afternoon at 2:30.

Stated meeting of Martha chapter, No. 116, O. E. S., at 7:30. A special memorial service will be given.

The Young Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church will meet this evening with Miss Carrie Shaw, 27 East street, at 7:30 o'clock. All young women of the church are cordially invited.

Regular meeting Daughters of Isabella this evening at 8:30, in club rooms.

The Neighborhood Red Cross will meet with Mrs. C. H. Walling, 401 Main street, at 7 o'clock tonight.

Meeting Wednesday.

Regular meeting Past Noble Grands' association will be held at Unadilla Wednesday. Dinner will be served promptly at noon.

To Oil River and Dietz Streets.

Petitions for oiling the macadam portions of River and Dietz streets were received by the board of public works at the monthly meeting last night and approved.

Among other matters, which, however, were of a mere routine nature, the board voted increases of pay to the men working on the teams.

Baseball Challenge.

The Trainmen's baseball team hereby challenges any local team for a game of baseball, to be played at Neah-wa park on Decoration day afternoon. Entire proceeds to be donated to the local Red Cross. Albert Morse, manager, 21 Broad street.

Opens Memorial Day.

The Oneonta Country club will be formally opened for the season on Memorial day with a dinner followed by a dance. The entertainment committee is arranging to make the event enjoyable and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

Household Goods at Auction.

The undersigned will sell at public auction Tuesday, May 28, 1918, at 1:00 p. m., at No. 22 Watkins avenue, Oneonta, N. Y., a first-class line of household furniture. Wm. P. Abbott, auctioneer. James R. Gerling, executor. Terms cash. advt 1t

Strayed—Yesterday afternoon, black French bulldog wearing collar with name "Fancy." Finder please return to Eugene Leigh Ward, 34 Main street, or 'phone 651-J. advt tf

H. D. Sidecar.

1916 Harley-Davidson sidecar complete with top and side curtains. Indian garage, 354 Main street. advt tf

Wanted — Middle-aged man to work in grocery and drive Ford delivery. Address "Grocer," care of Star. advt tf

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STARTS WITH $28,400

War Chest Committee Announces Advance Subscriptions

ACTIVE CANVASS OPENS.

Sixteen Teams of Workers Will Solicit Every Prospective Subscriber During the Week—1,500 Smaller Donors Needed to Assure Success of Project.

Oneonta's War Chest started off on its initial day with an impetus that should sweep it well over the top before the close of the week. The active canvass for subscriptions was not scheduled to start until after the noon day luncheon yesterday, but a few members of the executive committee thought it would give encouragement and confidence to the workers to have a limited number of sizable subscriptions to announce at the luncheon and they volunteered the amounts they are to give and solicited a few others with the result that when the signed cards turned in at noon were read they aggregated $28,400—a most gratifying and encouraging result. The announcement was greeted with prolonged cheers.

While Congressman Fairchild and President Wilber of the Wilber National bank gave such substantial subscriptions as to assure confidence in the project and that the leaders in financial circles in the city are enthusiastically behind the Chest and while others gave correspondingly large donations relatively, the outstanding fact is that the success of the project now depends absolutely upon the number of subscriptions from $12 to $120 annually that can be secured. It is apparent that the Chest will need from 1,200 to 1,500 subscribers giving $1, $2, $3 and $5 per month. These are the subscriptions that will bring success and none should hesitate to give the lesser amounts, it having been frequently stated in the meetings of the executive committee and in the public speeches that many who give these amounts will in fact make the greater sacrifices and their contributions will be greatly needed.

Advance Subscriptions.

Following is the list of subscriptions announced at the noon day luncheon for the encouragement of the workers:

$8,000
Hon. George W. Fairchild.

$7,600
George I. Wilber.

$1,500
George B. Baird.

$1,200
E. W. Elmore,
Oneonta Grocery company.

$900
Hon. Charles Smith,
Arthur E. Ford.

$600
W. O. Elmore,
H. M. Goldsmith,
J. F. Thompson,
Harold R. Ford,
Dr. P. I. Bugbee,
Judge A. L. Kellogg.

$500
Mr. and Mrs. Lee D. VanWoert.

$480
O. B. Rowe.

$300
Mrs. Susan M. Baird,
H. Spencer Rowe,
B. C. Lauren,
Mrs. E. W. Elmore,
Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Hemstreet.

$240
W. S. Whipple.

$150
Arthur M. Curtis,
M. G. Keenan.

$120
Mrs. O. B. Rowe,
Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Beams,
Samuel H. Potter and family.

Luncheon Largely Attended.

There gathered for the luncheon more than 100 of the workers in the campaign and much interest and enthusiasm was displayed. Chairman Thompson presided and before speakers were announced Mr. Thompson announced appointment of Robert O. Marshall and Charles H. Bowdish as a committee on accounting to assist Treasurer Ceperley in perfecting a system of keeping the accounts. He also announced a meeting of the Red Cross members and workers to be held at the Municipal building on Friday to discuss that branch of the work.

Dr. Bugbee was the first speaker at the luncheon and as always he had a message for his hearers. He referred to the war as leveling all ranks and classes of society, removing the disparity between affluence and poverty, but one thing it has been unable to obliterate, the divergence between honesty and dishonesty being as wide as ever. It still pays to do things on the square and this war is being fought to settle definitely and for all time to enforce the same standard for nations that we insist upon for individuals.

War is terrible said Dr. Bugbee, but withal it has its compensations. In this crisis the American people are learning to give both of themselves and of their wealth. We are coming to understand what unselfishness and generosity and what supreme self sacrifice means. We must and will win this war if we at home have the same spirit as the men over there. It is said that the men arriving first on the battle line are timid. Inspired by those about them they soon lose this feeling of timidity and an exaltation

(Concluded on Page Eight.)

WHEN THE BOYS COME BACK.

Some day when the victory has been won our boys will be coming back. You will want to meet and cheer them. You will want to look them in the face and have them reward your greetings with a smile. They will measure you by the response you now make to appeals in their behalf. If you wish them to greet you as a friend, be a friend to them now.

NAMES OF 53 CALLED IN DRAFT

MEN TO ASSEMBLE NEXT MONDAY AFTERNOON IN STATE ARMORY.

Will Get Instructions There in Marching Tactics and for the Trip — Go to Spartanburg Week from Today, Arriving at Camp Next Night.

The Local Board made public last night the following list of 53 men, and 10 alternates, who are called to report at the State armory on Academy street at 4 p. m. next Monday, to receive instructions. These men will be sent to Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburg, S. C., on the following morning, arriving at the cantonment the next night.

The plan is to give the men some instructions in marching tactics by one of the officers of Company G, State Guard.

The list follows:

Stanley Cornell, R. D., Laurens.
Louis Stadelbauer, 5 Lawn avenue, Oneonta.
Claud Miller, Unadilla.
George L. Adkins, R. D. 3, care of George Gardner, Oneonta.
Frederick C. Frommhagen, 42 Academy street, Oneonta.
William Osborn, 1152 Webster ave., Utica.
Smith S. Hine, 10 Barringer road, Ilion.
Basil E. Woolheater, 10 Railroad ave., Oneonta.
J. Edward Hay, 372 Chestnut street, Oneonta.
Everett K. Dunne, 63 Maple street, Oneonta.
Charles L. Howe, Cooperstown Jct.
Howard Townsend, South New Berlin.
Earl D. Barney, 29 Dietz St., Oneonta.
Walter Roman, 8 Parish Ave., Oneonta
Aniello Mastariano, 6 Depew street, Oneonta.
Carmeno Maraffa, 26 Fulton street, Albany.
Arthur M. Dudley, 5 State street, Oneonta.
Paul D. Schreiber, Port Washington, L. I.
Matthew C. B. Nolda, R. D. 3, Oneonta
Leon A. Chase, 3 Frederick avenue, Oneonta.
Henry Clapper, Otego.
Harry G. Lambros, 77 Dietz street, Oneonta.
Otis Kitts, Portlandville.
Menzo C. Dart, South Worcester.
Vasily M. Havrilek, 24 West Broadway, Oneonta.
Harry Thomas, 58 West Broadway, Oneonta.
Fred L. Hungerford, R. D. 3, Oneonta.
Ford H. Tubbs, 618 Chapel street, Schenectady.
Clifford W. Silliman, 501 Main street, Oneonta.
Anthony Chicorelli, 3 South Main street, Oneonta.
Leon Gardner, 5 Lewis avenue, Oneonta.
Burr B. Chamberlin, Oneonta.
Domenicco Zammarelli, 11 Fair street, Oneonta.
Charles W. Noxon, Schenevus.
Rocco Alvaro, 138 North Ninth avenue, Scranton, Pa.
William Van Akin, 29 Clarendon street, Schenectady.
Edward H. Smith, 176 River street, Oneonta.
Elmer R. Genter, Mt. Vision.
Lawrence J. Dailey, 49 Burnside avenue, Oneonta.
David Maples, 16 Gardner place, Oneonta.
Robert A. Clark, Laurens.
Ezra P. Judd, Unadilla.
Thomas F. Monahan jr., 14 Fairview street, Oneonta.
Owen A. Cuyle, Wells Bridge.
Albert L. Boyce, Box 234, Cooperstown.
Charles L. Filer, R. D. 4, Otego.
Lester Flint, 231 Chestnut street, Oneonta.
Richard F. Durkin, 185 Chestnut street, Oneonta.
Harold M. Briscoe, Otego.
Harry W. Marah, Richmondville.
George L. Winne, 14 Clark street, Binghamton.
Clarence E. Sargent, Milford.
Peter A. Verrios, 13 South Main street, Oneonta.

Alternates.

Clarence A. Terry, Otego.
George Vargello, 80 West Broadway, Oneonta.
William G. Clarke, 7 Clinton street, Oneonta.
Samuel Layman, 51 Burnside avenue, Oneonta.
Walter Gildersleeve, Rex garage, Oneonta.
Lynn D. Smith, Milford.
Jay D. Shaut, Schenevus.
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PERSONALS.

Rev. M. S. Ashton of Morris was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Dr. T. L. Craig of Davenport was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Attorney Arthur E. Conner of Walton was a guest last night at The Oneonta.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Quackenbush of this city were guests yesterday of Unadilla friends.

Mrs. Elma Co[illegible] of 177 Main street is the guest for some time of friends in Binghamton.

W. A. VanAuken of 172 Main street is spending a few days on business in Boston, Mass.

Mrs. Caroline Palmer of this city is the guest for some time of friends in Richmondville.

Miss Jean Crouse of Carbondale, Pa., is the guest of Mrs H. D. Lewis, 9 Third street.

D. Elmer Cady of Ilion was in Oneonta Monday on his way to his old home in Maryland.

Mrs Robert Brolie of Carbondale, Pa., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm E. Kelly, of 3 Eighth street.

Mrs B E Harper was in Bainbridge yesterday attending the funeral of a friend, Mrs Mary Williams.

Mrs. Margaret Delaney and Mrs. Mary Hamil spent the day yesterday in Albany and Schenectady.

Mrs. A. C. Borst has returned from a two weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. C. A Eckler, in Middlefield.

Mrs. V. O. Peck of Hancock returned home yesterday, after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Oscar Wells, in this city.

Mrs. E. J. Parish and daughter, Beatrice, leave this morning for Utica, where they will visit Major Parish for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Shafer of Cobleskill returned home yesterday, after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Shafer of this city.

Mrs. H. C. Hotchkiss and daughter, Miss Bessie Hotchkiss, o West Davenport, were in Oneonta yesterday on their way to spend a few days in Walton.

Mrs. L. H. Driggs of 15 Third street, accompanied by her children, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Patten, of Maryland, for a few days.

Mrs. Sarah Breffle of Otego returned home yesterday, after spending two weeks with her son, Charles, and granddaughter, Mrs. G. A. Rowe, in Oneonta.

Mrs. Bruce Raff of Waverly, who had been visiting at J. A. Millard's, 77 Ford avenue, departed yesterday for a further sojourn in Gilbertsville before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Dougher and Mr. and Mrs. George Camered motored to Oneonta from Green Island and spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. J House.

Richard P. Busteed left last evening for Newport News, Va., where he will visit his son, Thomas, who is a member of the 104th Field Artillery, Sanitary detachment.

Mrs. H. N. Rutan of 33 Spruce street was in Binghamton yesterday to meet her sister, Miss Myrtle Little, of New York city, who for some time will be her guest in Oneonta.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Shufelt of Albany were guests yesterday of G. W. Rowell, Otsego street. In the afternoon they enjoyed a motor trip to Milford and return

Rev. J. C. Trauger left yesterday morning for Loysville, Pa., accompanying Carl King, a young lad who will enter the Loysville Industrial home near Harrisburg.

Henry Saunders, who had been in New York attending the Booksellers' convention and in Atlantic City at the Northern Baptist conference for a few days, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. Arthur Southard of Roxbury and Mrs. E. J Wheeler and Mrs. Charles Routelshouser of Delhi were in Oneonta yesterday on their way to attend the Rebekah convention at Saratoga Springs

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. VanBuren and Mr. and Mrs Henry T. Conkling of Hobart motored to the city yesterday, Mr. VanBuren going to Sidney on business errands and the others of the party remaining in the city.

George Gorecenson, a brother of Nick and William Gorsenson of this city, who a short time ago sailed with his company for France, has arrived safely over seas, so a card states received by his brothers yesterday.

Mrs. William M Knowles of Syracuse, who with her infant daughter, Dorothy, had been spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Bertha Nugent of 190 River street returned home yesterday. Her sister, Miss Tressa Nugent, accompanied her for a brief sojourn

Mrs. F O. Kilpatrick and mother, Mrs. Isabel Liscomb, leave today for Kingston, where Mrs Liscomb will be a patient at the Benedictine sanitarium for an indefinite time Mrs. Kilpatrick will visit friends there for a few days before returning

Paul Burnside Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs Jarvis Clark, of 7 Clinton street, this city, who enlisted at Cleveland, Ohio, in the Field artillery and was until recently at Camp McClellan, Ala., has been transferred to the 6th Trench Mortar battery and is now at Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene S. DeLaney and little son of Lima, Peru, who have been visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. DeLaney, and sister, Mrs. Edwin Smith leave this morning to visit his sister, Mrs. Ward G VanNaskin, at Dorcest. Mr. and Mrs. DeLaney and Mrs. Smith will accompany them.

Mrs. A J. Bookhout, Mrs. B. W. Dickinson and Mrs. Wallace Woodworth departed yesterday for Saratoga Springs where the annual state assembly of Rebekahs begins this morning. Mrs. Dickinson represents the Oneonta lodge and Mrs. Bookhout the Wharton lodge at West Exeter. Mrs. Woodworth, besides attending the open sessions of the assembly, will visit friends in Saratoga, where she formerly resided.

Let's talk coffee. We have the quality; we have the price; we guarantee satisfaction in Kilpnockie coffee. advt tf

DEATHS.

George D. Bartlett.

Tidings have reached friends in Oneonta of the death on Saturday night at his home, 189 Delaware street, Albany, of George D. Bartlett, for many years a resident of Portlandville and at one time postmaster in that village. The funeral services will be held from his late home this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Bartlett was born in Sidney in 1847, and for a time after completing his studies in the public schools he was employed as a clerk at Unadilla. He enlisted in 1864 as a private in Company K, First New York engineers, joined his regiment at Morris Island, was discharged July 4, 1865, and returned to Unadilla. Later he completed his studies in the business college at Poughkeepsie, was for a few years in the south and west, and in 1872 returned to New York and settled in Portlandville, where he was for sometime in the harness business. Later he was postmaster at that place and was employed in the Wellman store.

From Portlandville, Mr. Bartlett moved to Albany, where for a long time he had been an orderly at the state capital, retiring less than a year ago on acount of ill health. He was a member of the G. A. R., and for several years commander of Colonel Olcott post at Portlandville. He was also a member of the Masonic fraternity, being at one time connected with the Laurens lodge.

The deceased is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Martha Wright of Laurens, and by three sons, Freeman, Lynn D. and Hallie, and a daughter, Lena, the first named residing in Massachusetts and the others in Albany. He was a pleasant, upright, much respected man who leaves many friends among the older residents of Portlandville and vicinity to mourn his demise.

OBITUARY.

Miss Eva M. Vincent.

The funeral services of the late Miss Eva M. Vincent, whose death at the hospital at Spring Lake, N. J., was noticed in The Star of yesterday, will be held from the residence of her brother, A. S. Vincent, at 30 Center street, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. B. M Johns of the First Methodist Episcopal church will officiate and interment will be in the family plot at the Plains cemetery.

Born at Maryland, February 1, 1874, Miss Vincent came to Oneonta with her parents when a young girl, and has since called this her home. She graduated from the Oneonta State Normal school 26 years ago this June, and has since been engaged in teaching with the exception of a single year when her health having become impaired, she retired for a year She taught first at Roxbury and later at Lestershire. She had been a successful teacher at Bradley Beach, N. J., for some eight years when her death followed an attack of pneumonia.

No additional particulars of her demise have been received other than the bare announcement that she was thought to be improving to the last, when death came suddenly. She had suffered for same time with asthma and had an attack of grip early in the spring, which is believed now to have been a greater drain upon her nervous energy than was then appreciated

Miss Vincent was a woman of many graces and a wide circle of friends will sympathize with the sorrowing family, which is composed of the mother, Mrs M. S. Vincent, a brother, A. S. Vincent, and one sister, Mrs. H. C. Babcock.

ACCEPTED IN ENGLISH CAVALRY.

William Otten, After Repeated Trials, Accepted For Service.

William Otten, who has endeavored to serve his country at the front in several capacities and who after a time for one reason and other has been dropped, has finally been accepted as a member of the English cavalry at the recruiting station at Syracuse and is expecting to be called at any early date to report for the service. He returned from Syracuse much elated at his success and is confident that he will at last be able to see actual service and help to some extent in the winning of a victory over the Kaiser's troops.

Funeral of Mrs. Moffatt.

The funeral services for the late Mrs. Mary J. Moffatt, who died on Friday last, were held yesterday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. B Brown, 27 Pine street. Rev. Dr. Charles S. Pendleton of the Free Baptist church, the officiating clergyman, offered prayer, and after the reading of suitable passages of scripture gave a brief appropriate address. Many friends were present and numerous beautiful floral offerings bespoke the public sympathy and regard. Following the service the body was taken to Stamford on the afternoon train for burial in the family plot.

To Attend General Assembly.

Robert Hall of this city and Charles A. Jones of Kortright departed last evening for Pittsburgh, Pa., where they will this week attend the general assembly of the United Presbyterian church held in that city.

Three desirable lots left in Miller plot. For the next ten days they will be offered at a big discount on the easy payment plan. If you want to purchase one of the best lots in Oneonta at a low figure see F. D. Miller, 195 Main street, or J. E. Tilley, 571 Main street. advt tf

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BOY SCOUT WINS WAR SERVICE MEDAL

The picture shows Wallace F. Mabee, a fifteen-year-old boy scout of Eastport, Me., who was publicly presented with the much coveted trophy from President Wilson.

The medal is bronze, smaller than a silver dollar, finely engraved, and on one side has the Goddess of Liberty statue in front of raised Stars and Stripes. On the other side the words "War Service, Every Scout to Serve a Soldier," are engraved along the edge. In the center are the words "Presented on behalf of the U. S. treasury department to Wallace F. Mabee for service in Liberty loan campaign, Boy Scouts of America, Oct., 1917. Last fall when the drive was being carried on throughout the country the boy scouts took an active part in the sales, this fifteen-year-old Eastport lad sold 16 bonds for $2,000, while his nearest competitor sold eight for $800, and it was necessary to sell ten to secure this handsome war medal.

ADDRESS AT LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Miss Rupp, Just Back From Africa, Tells of Needs in Foreign Fields.

A very interesting and instructive address on Africa was given by Miss Gertrude Rupp, a returned missionary, at the English Lutheran church of the Atonement Sunday evening. Miss Rupp was stationed at the Muhlenburg Missions, Liberia. She is a native of Harrisburgh, Pa.

The missionary is visiting churches in America in the interest of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society, emphasizing the needs of the foreign fields at the present time in an effort to arouse them to greater action. She made a strong plea in her address Sunday night for carrying the gospel to the heathen. She also urged young people to become more serious and to undertake some definite Christian service.

Miss Rupp closed her talk with the remark that in her opinion a church that is not a missionary church is a missing church.

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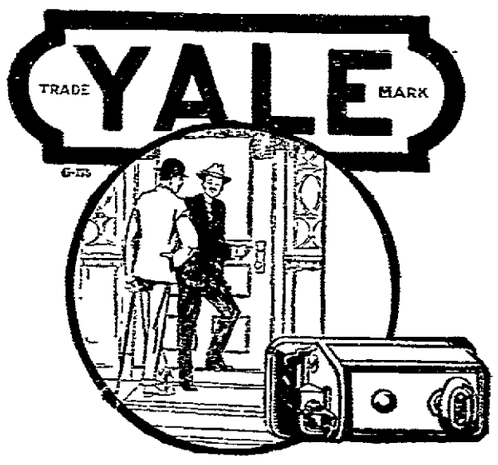

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FOR SALE—Thirty-five Cortland heifers, two and three years old, extra fine lot, two fresh, balance soon. Mostly light color. Raymond & Daniels, Franklin, N. Y.

SEED POTOTOES—Twenty bushels Irish Cobbler, field run, $1.50 bushel. L. Ingoldsby, Cooperstown, N. Y.

FOR SALE—My farm of 125 acres, 30 cows, team and all farm implements, good house, large overshot barn, new silo, running water at house and barn, one mile from West Harpersfield creamery, feed store and state road. Inquire of Wilson J. Porter, Bloomville, N. Y., route 1.

FOR SALE—Birdsall 16 horse power traction engine, in fine shape at bargain price. Arthur M. Butts, 252-254 Main street.

FARMS—For sale or exchange. All sizes, from a few acres up to 850 acres. Some of the best dairy farms in Otsego, Delaware and Chenango counties. All kinds of poultry and truck gardening places. Charles N. Murdock, 7 Ford avenue, Oneonta, N. Y.

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FOR SALE—Nearly new seven room house, all improvements, garage, Chestnut street, $3,200. Nearly new six room bungalow, all improvements, large lot, West End, $2,800. Two houses on Center street, all improvements, $3,000, and $3,800. Nearly new seven room cottage, hot water heat, all improvements, good location, $2,900. Nine room house, large lot, furnace, bath, Ford avenue, $2,600. Several houses, large and small, all improvements, near Normal school. Ten two family houses in various sections of city. Charles N. Murdock, 7 Ford avenue. Phone 7-R.

STORAGE.

STORAGE TO RENT—Decker Furniture company, corner Elm and Main. Phone 252.

CLEAN, DRY STORAGE TO RENT—A. H. Murdock, Market street.

ONE CENT A WORD

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Man who can care for garden, lawn, run car and make himself generally useful around country place. Phone or address F. B. Mayham, Stamford, N. Y.

WANTED—Experienced saleslady. No telephone calls. Boston store. H. W. Hyland.

WANTED—At once, practical baker for country town. C. H. Ryer, Bloomville, N. Y.

WANTED—Woman for pastry room. Windsor hotel.

WANTED—A woman to work by day. 110 Chestnut street.

WANTED—Woman to do family ironing direct from wet wash. Phone 94-W or call 43 Dietz street.

WANTED—At once, man to work on farm. Must be good milker and good with team. John O. Hills, Hobart, N. Y.

WANTED—Cook and laundress to begin work about July 1 at the Otsego county sanitarium. Apply to F. L. Wisner, M. D., superintendent, Laurens, N. Y.

WANTED AT ONCE—Girl or woman for general housework. Mrs. L. Palmer, 11 Spruce street.

COOK WANTED—A good cook willing to assist in general housework. No washing. Good wages. Apply, Mrs. W. W. Hoyt, 25 Nelson avenue, Cooperstown, N. Y.

WANTED—A seamstress to do plain mending and sewing for about three weeks. State price, including board. Mrs. Ira Jarvis, Hartwick Seminary, N. Y.

WANTED—Party to work four lots at West End on shares. Phone 518-J2.

WANTED — Experienced waitresses for summer resort hotel. Apply O. C. Becker's office or write Sunset Park Inn, Haines Falls, N. Y.

LADY WANTED at once for general house work. Address, G. O. Decker, Delhi, N. Y., R. D. No 2.

WANTED—Man for general work. Two girls to rate glove bands. Ten girls to operate knitting machine. Gloversville Knitting company, Oneonta, N. Y.

WANTED—A competent girl or woman for general housework. Phone 735-J.

WANTED—A man willing to work. Salary and commission. Steady position. Apply 154 Main street, one flight up, between 8 and 9 a. m. or 5 and 6 p. m.

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Mrs. James Stewart, 2 Ford avenue

WANTED—Weavers; also, learners. The Paragon Silk Company.

WANTED—Dining-room girl and chambermaid combined; also kitchen woman at the Wilson house.

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WANTED—Plain sewing at 29 Dietz street. Basement.

MOVING [illegible] or short hauls. [illegible] 18 Academy street.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED—At 93 Center street. Mrs. H. Kenyon. Phone 1024-W2.

WANTED—Pictures to frame. Ward's Art Shop, 149 Main street.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NOTICE—Is hereby given that all persons are forbidden to cross or trespass for the purpose of fishing, swimming or hunting, on property at 154 and 185 River street, under penalty of law. Signed, T. S. Whiting and W. E. Bailey.

WANTED—Five bushels good potatoes. B. L. Gates, 119 River street.

IF A LADY wanting a home would write L. P., care of Star, she would obtain same.

GARDEN LAND on River street to rent. Inquire A. J. Sickler. Phone 18-F4.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Saturday round-jet pin set with pearls, with catch for chain or charm, between 20 Franklin street and depot. Reward for its return to 20 Franklin street.

LOST—Saturday night, on Main street, ladies' black leather bag containing mirror and two letters bearing owner's name. Finder please return to Mrs. Charles Thomson, 170 Main street.

LOST—Gold and enamel fraternity pin. Set with pearls. Please return to E. R. Moore, 15 Church street.

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FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Buff Leghorns and Thompson Direct Plymouth Rock eggs, $1.25 setting. L. D. Mills, 13 Linden avenue. Box 114.

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FURNISHED ROOMS—For light housekeeping for man and wife. Use of phone. Address D, care of Star.

FURNISHED ROOMS—For light housekeeping. Gas plate and range in kitchen. Phone 727-J. 142 Chestnut street.

TO RENT—Furnished room with improvements at 28 Academy street, corner Grove. Phone 815-J.

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TO RENT—Two furnished rooms at 169 Main street. Phone 1073.

BOARDERS WANTED.

WANTED—Roomers or boarders at 83 Ford avenue. All improvements.

WANTED—Boarders at 5 Hill Place.

WANTED—Boarders at 6 Ne-ah-wa place.

WHERE TO LOOK FOR WIFE

Seek Her in Butcher's Shop, Says This Writer and Mark Just How She Buys.

A good housewife will look at least two square meals ahead of her nose. The modern system of marketing during the high cost regime is such a fine art that a youth contemplating matrimony should hie to the market place for selecting a bride. My boy, Zim advises in Cartoons Magazine, when you see a maiden pinching, smelling and pricing a soup bone, you may rely on her sense of economy, for she is looking forward not less than two meals. The soup bone, when cooked, is merely food in the rough or primitive state. Its choicest by-products are realized after bouillon stage. Thereafter comes goulash, the croquettes and the luscious hash. By all means avoid the girl who orders choice cuts of porterhouse or English mutton chops. She will not make a good helpmate. But the girl who selects the chuck or neck pieces or the tail end of a ham bone, and renders them into dainty, palatable dishes is the one you want. So take my advice and seek the market place when you feel that you have had your fill of bachelor loneliness and wish a taste of wedlock. Follow such a girl around until you are perfectly satisfied, then nail her.

First States in the Union.

The war of the American Revolution was fought by 13 colonies, which, on winning their independence, became states. Named in the order in which they ratified the Constitution and formed the Union, they are: Delaware, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Georgia, Connecticut, Massachusetts, Maryland, South Carolina, New Hampshire, Virginia, New York, North Carolina and Rhode Island. The first state admitted after the formation of the Union by the original thirteen was Vermont in 1791.

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Our Potato Column

Article No. 6.

A WEEK DURING BLIGHT SEASON.

What Happens to the Potato Farmer and How He Might Have Prevented it.

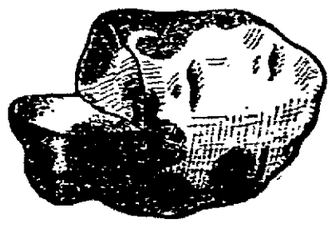
Sunday—He goes into the field and congratulates himself on the prospects for a good potato crop. The vines are healthy, growing thriftily, the tubers well set and filling out rapidly.

Monday—Weather changes, becomes cool, with frequent showers and heavy fogs.

Tuesday—The vines commence to "blast" and the odor may be smelled a quarter of a mile away.

Wednesday—All hopes of a big crop are given up. The vines are blighted to the ground, and the tubers commence to rot.

Thursday—It is apparent that because of lack of insurance against



Soft Field Rot of Potato—a Disease Which Is Preventable if the Farmer Plans in Advance.

loss most of the labor and the capital which has gone into this crop has been wasted.

Friday—In deepest discouragement, the farmer promises himself never more to grow potatoes.

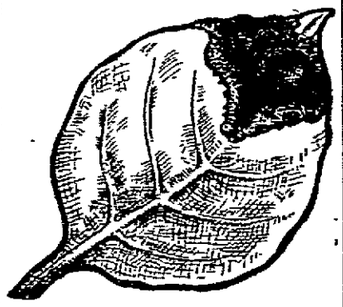
Two months later—Because of the short crop caused by the blight prices go to unheard-of figures.

Over and over this tragedy has been repeated, and absolutely without reason. Spraying with bordeaux mixture controls the blight and rot, and insures the farmer against losing the time and money which he puts into his potato crop.

Many people do not understand how it is that a spray on the leaf of the potato prevents rot of the tuber—for it seems as though there could be no connection between the two. Still, it is a fact that if the leaf be protected so that the blight gets no foothold, there will be no soft field rot of the tuber.

The tuber itself carries the infection of the disease. When diseased seed is planted the fungus follows the growing stalk to the leaves, and from there spreads its spores to other leaves by millions on millions. As the vines blight more and more of these spores are produced. Some of them get down to the tuber through the stem opening, some attack the tubers that show out of the hills, and others lie in wait to infect the potatoes as they are harvested. But why enlarge on the damage? Everyone who has been through it knows it; those who have not should be warned in time to prevent it. There is no cure. After the blight once gets started the damage is done and the game is lost.

Spraying with bordeaux mixture, either commercial or home prepared, is a preventative. As long as the vines



Leaf Affected by Late Blight—the Blight Which Leads to Rot.

are covered with the protective spray the floating spores which come in contact with it are killed, and there will be neither blight nor rot. For best results the spraying must be started when the vines are six inches high, and repeated at intervals of one to three weeks' time until the vines are dead.

One of the interesting things about this spray is that even when no blight comes it increases the crop more than enough to pay the cost. The reason is that it serves to prevent tip-burn and in those seasons too dry for the blight tip-burn is often a serious trouble. This is a case where the insurance pays its own premium and its own dividend.

HOW MANY POTATOES DOES YOUR FAMILY EAT?

The following figures show the yield of potatoes per acre and per capita in different countries:

	Bushels Produced Per Acre.	Bushels Produced Per Capita.
Germany	250	30
France	150	15
Austria-Hungary	125	12
Netherlands	400	250
United States	100	4

In the United States a family of five ought to eat 20 bushels of potatoes in the course of a year. Does your family measure up?

Is it doing its part in conserving wheat for our allies?

Care of Flutes.

Flutes sometimes suffer from any abrupt change in the weather, and should therefore be kept in chamois leather.

Coconut Butter.

European factories each week make about 16,000,000 pounds of artificial butter with coconut oil as a base.

Jump from Bed in Morning and Drink Hot Water

Tells why everyone should drink hot water each morning before breakfast.

Why is man and woman, half the time, feeling nervous, despondent, worried; some days headachy, dull and unstrung; some days really incapacitated by illness.

If we all would practice inside-bathing, what a gratifying change would take place. Instead of thousands of half-sick, anaemic-looking souls with pasty, muddy complexions we should see crowds of happy, healthy, rosy-cheeked people everywhere. The reason is that the human system does not rid itself each day of all the waste which it accumulates under our present mode of living. For every ounce of food and drink taken into the system nearly an ounce of waste material must be carried out, else it ferments and forms ptomaine-like poisons which are absorbed into the blood.

Just as necessary as it is to clean the ashes from the furnace each day, before the fire will burn bright and hot, so we must each morning clear the inside organs of the previous day's accumulation of indigestible waste and body toxins. Men and women, whether sick or well, are advised to drink each morning, before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, as a harmless means of washing out of the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the indigestible material, waste, sour bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Millions of people who had their turn at constipation, bilious attacks, acid stomach, nervous days and sleepless nights have become real cranks about the morning inside-bath. A quarter pound of limestone phosphate will not cost much at the drug store, but is sufficient to demonstrate to anyone, its cleansing, sweetening and freshening effect upon the system.

EXPLAINS LAUGH OF BABIES

We Come Into This World of Sorrows With a Mysterious Sense of Humor.

The human love of nonsense is a divine mystery. We have often heard pessimists declare that we come into the world weeping. It is truer, I think, to say that we come into it laughing. For laughter in a baby seems to be its first conscious apprehension of something outside its small needs and pains. It may cry merely because a pin is sticking into it, but it laughs because already it sees something that makes it laugh, it knows not why, something that catches the eye or ear and seems irresistibly funny to it.

There is nothing more mysterious than a baby's sense of humor. It frequently loses it as it grows up, together with the other trailing clouds of glory, but most babies are born with it. To satisfy it nursery rhymes were invented, and to satisfy the same instinct in grown people "The Hunting of the Snark," that incomparable classic, came into being, and Caverly and Gilbert and Lear stood on their heads, so to speak, and performed such verbal antics before high heaven as must have made the very angels laugh.

When the Owl and the Pussy Cat, having dined on mice and slices of quince, "hand in hand, on the edge of the sand," "dance by the light of the moon," there is something which, as Stevenson was fond of saying, delights the great heart of man. But, of course, with these modern artists of nonsense there is usually a deliberate attempt at the grotesque and the absurd. We know why we are laughing, but with the old-fashioned rhymes of which I am chiefly thinking, we laugh—or, for that matter, cry, perhaps—without having any reason to give.—Richard Le Gallienne, in Harper's Magazine.

Burma Excels in Rice Growing.

Burma is the world's great rice-exporting center, and Rangoon is the chief rice port in the world. The amount of rice exported each year from the four ports of Burma is about equal to that shipped from Siam and French Indo-China combined, and the export from Rangoon is nearly equal to the combined export from the ports of Saigon and Bangkok.

Couldn't Prove It by Him.

Lyle was the owner of a puppy of which he was fond. So when the dog became sick and had to be killed everything possible was done to keep Lyle from hearing of it. Some time afterward I went to call on his mother, and, not knowing of the dog's fate, I asked Lyle where it was. "Oh," he said, "it's dead, I guess, but I don't know it."—Chicago Tribune.

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TIME TABLE

Commencing Sunday Jan. 27, 1918.

Trains will arrive and leave Oneonta as follows:

NORTH BOUND.

		Arrive	Depart
303	Albany Local		6:50 a m
305	Morning Express	9:40 a m	9:50 a m
309	Boat Express	3:45 p m	3:55 p m
311	Oneonta Local	8:25 p m	
313	Sundays only	4:15 p m	4:20 p m

SOUTH BOUND.

		Arrive	Depart
300	Oneonta Local		8:20 a m
302	Morning Express	10:25 a m	10:35 a m
304	Albany Local	5:35 p m	
306	Chicago Express	6:25 p m	6:30 p m
314	Sundays only	5:45 p m	6:00 p m

Trains 313 and 314 only run Sundays.

Trains leave for Cooperstown and intermediate points week days and Sundays at 10:50 a. m. and 6:15 p. m. Trains from Cooperstown and intermediate points arrive Oneonta week days and Sundays at 10:05 a. m. and 4:15 p. m.

Southern New York Railway

Schedule Effective May 15, 1918.

Trains will leave Oneonta for Herkimer and intermediate points at 6:40, 8:56 and 11:10 a. m. and at 2:10, 4:10 and 6:40 p. m., connecting at Index for Cooperstown. Cars leaving at 1:05 p. m. and 9:30 p. m., run to Hartwick only. The 6:40 a. m. is daily except Sunday.

Cars southbound arrive from Hartwick at 6:30 and 8:20 a. m. and from Herkimer at 9:52 and 11:20 a. m. and 1:41, 3:50, 5:50 and 9:10 p. m.

In additional to regular through trains local cars leave Chestnut street station for West Oneonta at 6:20, 7:10 and 10:00 a. m. and at 1:40, 4:40, 5:10, 6:10, 9:10, 9:40 and 10:40 p. m.

City Service.

Leave Broad street at 6:17 a. m. and East End (Week Days) at 6:30 a. m. and every half hour thereafter until 9:00 a. m.; then 9:21, 9:50, 10:30, 11:00, 11:30 a. m., 12:00 a. m., 12:15, 12:45, 1:00, and 1:30 p. m. and every half-hour thereafter until 11:00 p. m. The 11:00 p. m. car runs only to Broad street.

Leave Junction (week days) at 6:40, a. m. and every half-hour thereafter until 8:40 a. m.; then 9:01, 9:31, 10:00, 10:30, 11:10, 11:40, 11:55 a. m., 12:25, 12:40, 1:05, 1:31, 2:10 and every half hour thereafter until 11:05 p. m. The last car running to Broad street only.

Normal Service.

Leave Broad street, 6:22 a. m. and D. & H. Station at 6:50 a. m. and every half-hour thereafter until 9:20 a. m., then 9:47, 10:20, 10:50, 11:20, 11:58 a. m., 12:24, and 1:20 p. m. and every half hour until 9:20 p. m.

Leave Normal at 6:53 and 7:04 a. m. and every half-hour thereafter until 9:04 a. m., then 9:33, 10:02, 10:34, 11:04, 11:34 a. m. and 12:12, 12:49, 1:34 and every half-hour thereafter until 9:04 p. m.

Sundays.

First car leaves East End at 7:30 a. m. Normal school at 7:34 a. m. Broad street for West Oneonta at 7:12.

J. W. NUGENT, General Passenger Agent.

TIME TABLE OF

ULSTER & DELAWARE RR

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Trains are due to leave this city as follows: 7:20 a. m. and 3:12 p. m. on week days; Sundays at 1:15 p. m.

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126 acre farm on state road, ½ mile from High school, stores, churches, etc. 100 acres in fields, land lays level and easy to till, lots of fruit. The buildings consist of a fine 2-story house, which would cost to build, $7,500.00, in first-class condition, cow barn 40x60, tie up for 30 head of stock, new shingle roof, cement basement, running water, wagon house and hay barn 30x64, hog house 20x24, all in fine condition. Silo 16x32. The following personal property goes with the farm: 2 horses, 12 fine grade Holstein cows, 2 yearlings, 7 calves, 1 thoroughbred Holstein bull, 75 hens, 2 pigs, 6 turkeys, mowing machine, horse rake, drill, plows, harrows, cultivator, wagons, harness and other tools too numerous to mention. Price for all $7,500.00, cash payment, $2,500.00.

Farm 200 acres 1-2 mile off state road 1 mile from railroad station; creamery, stores, etc., valley location, about 150 acres fields, about 60 acres wood land, some valuable chestnut and oak timber. This farm cuts from 40 to 50 tons hay, will pasture 25 head stock. Plenty of wood for farm and plenty of fruit. Good 2 story house, good stock barn 40x60, ice house, granary, hay and hen house. Price for farm and farm tools, $3,800.00, cash payments, $1,800.00.

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TURN HAIR DARK WITH SAGE TEA

If Mixed with Sulphur It Darkens so Naturally Nobody can Tell.

The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur for darkening gray, streaked and faded hair is grandmother's recipe, and folks are again using it to keep their hair a good, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

Nowadays, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the mussy mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product, improved by the addition of other ingredients, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound", for about 50 cents a bottle. It is very popular because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance which is so attractive. This ready-to-use preperation is a delightful toilet requisite for those who desire a more youthful appearance. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

BLAST BRINGS UP $115,000

In a Pot in an Old Well That Was Dynamited.

An iron pot containing $115,000 in gold coins was unearthed recently in an abandoned well on the Isaac Shaffer farm in Lawrence county, near Hillsville, Pa., it became known here. Employees of a limestone company were blasting and, coming to the well, set off a charge of dynamite which sent a shower of gold coins skyward. The story of the burying of the treasure came to light with its discovery.

In 1888 Isaac Shaffer, a rich cattle buyer, died. Stricken with apoplexy, he managed to mumble "gold," motioned toward his farm and fell dead. During the past 30 years his heirs have explored the farm many times, hoping to find the treasure. The gold has been deposited in a Newcastle (Pa.) bank. Heirs of Shaffer have claimed it.

Do Not Borrow Trouble.

I saw a delicate flower had grown up two feet high between the horse's path and the wheel track. An inch more to the right or left would have sealed its fate, or an inch higher; and yet it lived to flourish as much as if it had a thousand acres of untrodden space around it: it never knew the danger it incurred. It did not borrow trouble, nor invite an evil fate by apprehending it.—Thoreau.

DIABETES

Do not be discouraged if you have diabetes and have failed to find relief—Try DIABETOL a natural herbal medicine which has benefited many who had despaired of improvement. The effect of DIABETOL is oftentimes realized in the first week's treatment, improvement being noted in a reduction of the percentage of sugar in the urine and in the alleviation of other distressing symptoms of the disease. DIABETOL may be obtained at Geo. S. Slade's Drug Store. A booklet containing valuable information on Diabetes and the DIABETOL treatment—free on request. Ames Chemical Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

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takes possession of them and their greatest fear becomes that of displaying the least cowardice. They soon lose all fear of death and are contenders for the honors of making the greatest sacrifice for the great cause. So we at home, unable to give the supreme sacrifice, are coming to get away from ourselves and our selfish interests and seek to give and serve, to aid those who are giving their all. It is up to us to give to the very last penny we can, to stand by the brave boys with our last dollar that the right may triumph and a glorious victory won.

Dr. Bugbee was followed by Private Wright, who at 12:30 o'clock had addressed a large throng at the D. & H. shops, making a stirring appeal to them to stand behind the flag. Private Wright modestly, but in the most effective manner possible because from the heart, told of his experiences in France when wounded in the fighting about Ypres. It was Red Cross workers who rescued him, carrying him back to the point where first aid was given by a Red Cross nurse, and so all the way in the movements to the hospital and to recovery, it was this noble organization that brought him back to life. It was an effective story and touched the hearts of all. It cheered the workers for the tasks of the day.

Director General Clark then gave a few final words of instruction to the workers. He bade them to be careless and to see that every individual in the city is canvassed, confining themselves to the names assigned. The workers then set out and the reports of their activity will be made known at the luncheon at The Oneonta at noon today. It is hoped to report substatnial progress toward the goal.

LIVING TRIBUTE TO CAPT. HALL.

(By the Associated Press.)

With the American Army in France, May 19.—The airplane driven by Captain James Norman Hall, which fell when Captain Hall was flying within the German lines a few days ago bore the number "17". Now a new number "17" has appeared on the American front northwest of Toul.

Immediately under the pilot's seat on each side has been placed the inscription "old Jimmy." It is a silent tribute from Captain Hall's flying comrades.

Roughnecks Weren't Rough.

Miss Lyon's grade of the Academy street school defeated the Hunt Street Roughnecks by the score of 13-7 yesterday. Batteries for Miss Lyon's grade were Quackenbush, Sullivan and Meyers, and for Roughnecks, Perry and Loft.

JOHN BARRYMORE.

Famous Star Here Tomorrow in Thrilling Detective Drama.

"Raffles," the amateur cracksman, which will be at the Theatre Oneonta tomorrow, is a picture that does not disappoint. It contains all the essentials necessary to please everyone, a magnetic and popular star, a story of far-famed reputation and numerous photographic innovations. "Raffles" as a motion picture achievement is highly recommended. advt 1t

Fine job printing at The Herald office.

RED CROSS CONFERENCE FRIDAY

TO BE HELD IN MUNICIPAL HALL AT 2:30 IN THE AFTERNOON.

Inaugurates Plan for Similar Meetings Monthly — Comprehensive Outline of Red Cross Work in City and Elsewhere Will be Given, and War Chest Drive Boomed — Monthly Pledges Should be Paid Up.

A Red Cross conference, which all the members of the local chapter and of the branches are urged to attend, will be held in Municipal hall Friday afternoon at 2:30. This meeting will inaugurate a plan to hold similar monthly conferences in the future.

A suitable program has been arranged for the occasion designed to give the members a comprehensive outline of the work of the Red Cross in all its multiple lines of endeavor at home and abroad. Those who attend are requested to ask questions at the close; there will be some one there to answer.

The program follows:

General address on the field secretary, Mrs. DePuyster Townsend of Cooperstown. Subject, "General work of the Red Cross at Home and Abroad."

Chapter organization by Mrs. George Baird, chairman of the workrooms.

Chapter production by Mrs. Stanley Morris, supervisor of surgical dressings.

The Second War Fund Drive and Oneonta's War Chest, J. F. Thompson, chairman of the War Chest Drive.

Miss Ethel Scatchard, secretary of the local chapter, will make a report of an important address given at the recent Atlantic Division conference held in New York, and which she attended.

Address by A. B. Tooey, chairman of the local chapter, in which he will explain the importance of the monthly conferences.

Responses were fairly good yesterday to the call of the Red Cross for members of the organization to pay up their monthly pledges before June 1, when this method of financing the society will give way to the War Chest. People are earnestly asked to get their money in as soon as possible before that time. A complete list of donors, the amount they pledged, and how much they have paid is now on file at Red Cross headquarters, and inquiries by phone or in person as to how any one stands will be gladly answered.

It was stated yesterday that in the latest list of goods finished and sent in by branches, Mt. Vision should have been credited with 130 small compresses instead of 13. Other goods recently received are:

Edmeston—190 pads and 25 three-yard rolls.

Worcester—20 paper backed pads, 800 wipes, 100 large compresses, 200 small compresses; 15 three-yard rolls.

The Red Cross has decided hereafter to make public the list of finished goods only once a week for publication each Monday.

ENROLLMENT FOR WOMEN

County Commissioners of Elections Call Attention to Special Requirements of the Election Law.

In pursuance of Chapter 297 of the Laws of 1918, an enrollment for women only will take place from May 16 to June 15, 1918, in all towns in this county outside the city of Oneonta. The enrollment for the city of Oneonta will take place one day only, May 25, 1918, and the city enrollment must be personal, between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m. to 10 o'clock p. m.

Enrollment blanks have been furnished to the county committee of the various parties for use outside the city of Oneonta, and it is hoped that these committeemen will see that a canvass is made of their respective districts for the enrollment.

Application for blanks may be made to any member of the county committee or to Lyman J. Barnes, Commissioner of Elections, Worcester, N. Y.

Blanks should be filled out according to directions on the blank, and placed in a properly stamped envelope, and directed to Lyman J. Barnes, Worcester, N. Y.

Blanks having been furnished to the county committeemen for the convenience of the persons in their respective districts, women should ascertain in what district they reside, and then make application to the county committeemen for that district or to Mr. Barnes, at Worcester, for a blank.

Be sure and read instructions on each blank before enrollment.

The inventory sale at Jennings & Bates, jewelers, will close Tuesday, May 21, at 6 o'clock. As a woman purchaser said, this is the only real sale ever held in Oneonta. Four more days to buy diamonds, watches, jewelry, clocks, cut glass, silverware, etc., at less than wholesale prices. advt 1t

Lemon Juice For Freckles

Girls! Make beauty lotion at home for a few cents. Try it!

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle and tan lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes disappear and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless.

ROBBERY IN CHERRY VALLEY

BURGLARS GET SEVEN HUNDRED DOLLARS CASH AND STAMPS.

Safe Blown Open at Three O'Clock Monday Morning — Burglars Make Clean Getaway — Pursuers Lose Clue—Similar Crime in 1911.

Cherry Valley, May 20. — This village was visited early this morning by robbers who succeeded in breaking into the post office and after blowing open the safe made good their escape with some $700 worth of stamps and cash.

At 3 o'clock this morning Mrs George L. Fowler, who resides across the street, opposite the post office heard an explosion. The sound being from the direction of the office, Mrs Fowler was satisfied that all was not well in the building and called Postmaster Almond Cramer on the phone to investigate. Mr. Cramer hurriedly dressed and called Deputy Sheriff Homer Gault and the two started for the office. On their way they were passed by an automobile which they believe contained three people, going at a high rate of speed, towards Sharon Springs, or Fort Plain. Cramer and Gault proceeded to the post office, where they found the front doors and that leading from lobby to rear of the office, wide open, and also the safe door shattered and four drawers and contents missing.

Further investigation disclosed that the safe had been blown open with nitroglycerin. The outer casing of the door was removed with chisels and the explosives worked into the mechanism of the combination. This being done, an electric wire was attached and led to a safe distance for the operator.

The amount of booty which they took amounts to about $700. Of this $600 was in Thrift Stamps and War Savings Certificates, $50 in postage stamps of various denominations, and $50 in cash.

As soon as the robbery was discovered, Gault started in an automobile to give chase to the car seen on the street, but in going down the Sharon road for several miles found no trace and returned. Later in the morning it was discovered that the barns of George Moore and John Wickoff had been broken into and robes and blankets taken from each place. The garage of Homer Ough had also been entered and a quantity of tools stolen. The blankets and tools were found in the post office. Local, county and state police are here working to run down the robbers, but as yet no clew has developed.

A similar robbery to that of this morning occurred in this village August 20, 1911, when the post office safe was blown open and $75 in stamps stolen.

THEY NEED TOBACCO, TOO.

Soldier Writes of Cheer That Contribution of Smokes Gives.

Corporal Gerald P. Crean, with the American forces, writing to Dr. A. H. Brownell, acknowledging the receipt of a package of smokes contributed through Our Boys in France Tobacco Fund, writes as follows:

"Somewhere"
April 19, 1918.

Dr. A. H. Brownell,

Dear Sir—When you were a child, a little tot, you, if you believed in Santa Claus, must have experienced at Christmas time, upon discovering your different gifts, something of the feeling with which I received the little package of tobacco from "Our Boys in France Tobacco Fund" with the little card inside denoting that you were the man who made it possible for me to be enjoying a smoke of real American tobacco up here where the big guns boom and the big shells whiz and bang. The package, small in the sense of size, is one of the biggest gifts that could possibly be sent to us fellows "Over Here."

This little card which I have here is far too small and insignificant for me to fully express what I feel with regard to what you have sent. We are a fighting regiment now and have been called upon to move long distances at short notice with our packs on our backs. Railroad facilities aren't near so great here in France as they are at home, and we have no means—if we had it would be impracticable—of transporting our personal baggage along with us. Thus, though we have or may have a stock of tobacco, we are forced to leave it behind and take only what one can carry on his back, and that, on account of our equipment, must be very light. So there are many times when we have practically no smoking. It is really a blessing for us to receive a package like this one which has your name in it.

Our regiment is doing fine work up here at the line, giving Fritz all that they can, and the Boches find the Yanks equal to everything that they attempt. But, bragging or self-praise was never a good asset.

Sir, I know that this is a poor attempt to show my appreciation of your little gift, but could I do more I would do it gladly. Small gifts like yours gives us, the vanguard of the great American army which is to come, the feeling that we have that great and glorious nation which we represent behind us in everything we do and that feeling can make us fight better, smile through our troubles, and give the punch of the old-time Yanks.

Sincerely,
Corp. Gerald P. Crean,
Co. I, 110th U. S. Inf.

Bank employee, wanted at once. Experienced man as general bookkeeper and assistant to cashier in country bank. Address undersigned, stating age, nationality, experience and references. Bank situation, care of The Oneonta Star. advt 5t

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ant time was enjoyed and Miss Elliott was presented with a beautiful cut glass dish as a souvenir of the occasion.

Badly Defeat Soldiers.

The Sidney town baseball team defeated a team from the Sidney platoon of Company I on the local diamond Saturday afternoon by a score of 31-10. Marone and Heobler were the battery for the town boys, while Oles, Davis and Skelly acted in a similar capacity for the soldiers.

Wayman-Bennett.

Charles W. Wayman of Deposit and Hazel D. Bennett of Bainbridge were recently united in marriage at the Baptist parsonage in this village, Rev. William Barnfather performing the ceremony.

WHO'S WHO IN HOBART.

Hobart, May 20.—Raymond More of Camp Dix is spending a short furlough at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simmons. — Lieutenant Ray Champlin and wife are at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Champlin.—Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Rose spent the week-end in Poughkeepsie. —Hobart won the $100 Liberty bond offered by the Delhi Red Cross chapter, at the War show last week. —Dr. and Mrs. J. Wadsworth of Cobleskill were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Taylor.—Extensive repairs have been made to the postoffice. A partition has been removed, thus enlarging the office.—E. T. Foote is in Albany on business errands.—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burroughs of Otego were guests of David L. Gallup Sunday. — Miss Effie Davis of Delhi has returned to her work at the Rose Telephone company office, after spending a week at her home.—Mr. and Mrs. E. T. VanEuren and Mrs. W. Puffer motored to Oneonta yesterday.

Davenport Box Social.

Davenport, May 20. — There will be a box social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hubbard, Wednesday evening, for the benefit of the Red Cross. All are cordially invited to attend.

Proof of World's Great Age.

When we come to prehistoric man, Assyria is as yesterday. Discoveries made of skulls in various parts of Europe show that a low class of primitive man lived upon earth at least 250,000 years ago, and for 25,000 years a high type of man inhabited what is now central France.

United States Tires Are Good Tires

A large stock of tires to select from. We will surely have your size and kind. We handle all the popular makes, including United States, Ajax, Empire, Miller, Norwalk, Firestone, Blackstone, Goodrich, United States Cord, Goodrich Cord, Firestone Cord, Firestone Truck tires in solid and cushion.

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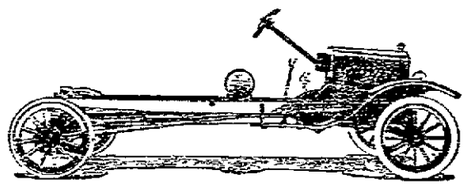

Won't Go.

"This thing can't go on!" exclaimed the shoe clerk, vainly trying to get a number two shoe on a number four foot.—Boston Transcript.

Passed On.

What has become of the old-fashioned married couples who used to advertise for a situation together on a farm?—Washington Post.

ECKMAN'S Calceros

FOR COUGHS AND COLDS

A handy Calcium compound that safeguards against chronic lung and throat troubles. A tonic-restorative preparation without harmful or habit-forming drugs. Try them today.

50 cents a box, including war tax

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Salad Dressing with Chives

1 tablespoon vinegar
3 tablespoons Mazola
1 hard boiled egg
Pinch paprika
1 teaspoon minced Chives
1 teaspoon salt

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